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CIVIL DEFENSE volunteers questioned approximately 300 homes in Orinda, Moraga and Canyon this week, to obtain a sampling of information on shelter facilities. Mrs. Charles Beckett (left), in charge of the survey for Orinda North, explains the purpose of the survey to Mrs. Richard Kendall, while Mrs. James Felchin (third from left) holds a map of Orinda and Mrs. Edward Bullwinkel glances over other material. SUN photo by Mattson

300 Homes Here Queried in CD Shelter Survey

Some 300 homes in Orinda, Moraga and Canyon were visited this week by civil defense volunteers in the survey to determine temporary shelter capabilities in case of emergency.

In addition, under the supervision of Inspector William Koch of the Orinda Fire Department, stores, restaurants and other business establishments were canvassed.

"THE RESPONSE by the public was generally favorable," Mrs. Charles Beckett, in charge of the survey for Orinda North, said yesterday.

Mrs. John Harrison was in charge of the survey for Orinda South, Moraga and Canyon.

Sixteen volunteer workers, under Mrs. Beckett's direction, called on one home out of every 10 in the northern part of Orinda.

Mrs. Harrison had 17 volunteers working under her direction. They, too, had called on 10 per cent of the homes.

RESULTS OF the survey will be sent to W. G. Golden, county welfare service.

Mrs. Beckett said it was still too early to give a breakdown on the survey.

LOOKING HIGH UP toward the billboard announcement of the May 14-15 Orinda Fiesta are Tommy Hesse (left) and Andy Frame. The two youngsters are sure to spread the word about the gala community shindig which will celebrate completion of the Interchange. The billboard is at Brookwood Road and Moraga Highway, next to the Fiesta Hut. —SUN photo by Mattson

Civic Center Still Planned For Pine Grove

By Duane Meyers

County planners still consider the Pine Grove best for a community center and have acceeded to South Orinda requests to move the Orinda master plan boundary further south than originally established.

Those were the two main points brought out at the first official public hearing on "A General Plan for Orinda" — commonly called a master plan—Tuesday night before the County Planning Commission.

There will be another public hearing prior to adoption.

Associate County Planner Richard Stockwell presented the plan for the benefit of the commission and about 70 interested Orindans in attendance.

Stockwell, who also officiated at the plan's unveiling in Orinda January 31, showed an enlarged map.

ONLY CHANGE from the map presented January 31 was the southern boundary of the planning area. Earlier, that boundary was roughly at Valley View Drive, excluding some 900 acres of the Orinda School District.

Tuesday night the map's line was extended to take in that area.

Citizens residing in the area, including Joseph Zablocki of Inland Valley, were in attendance to ask that their area be included in the Orinda planning boundary.

Zablocki said the enlarged map, including their area, made their request unnecessary.

STOCKWELL SAID the planning staff decided to include the additional southern portion because people residing there showed their desire to be identified with Orinda, because the new (Miramonte) high school is there and because sections were already built up.

The line now extends about 1000 feet beyond Miramonte High School.

Stockwell said the planning boundary lines may change when the Moraga and Lafayette general plans are drafted, but that the variance would not be "drastic."

James Hupp, chairman of the Orinda Association's Planning Committee, presented recommendations on the master plan as prepared by Francis Violich, consultant to the association. (See separate story.)

THOMAS HEATON, county director of planning, said Violich's report contained a number of "excellent" ideas. The report was filed for study by the planning staff.

In recommending again Tuesday night that the Pine Grove be used for a civic center, Stockwell warned that "if Orinda can't obtain the Pine Grove land within a reasonable length of time it must be put to some other use."

Joseph Zablocki questioned Stockwell about what "other use" he would recommend for the Pine Grove, "assuming Orinda did not acquire it for a civic center."

Stockwell did not answer directly, but stated, "There are lots of uses I wouldn't recommend."

ZABLOCKI THEN asked, jokingly, "What would be a bad development?"

Commissioner George Honegger replied, in a similar vein, "Motels."

Stockwell indicated Pacific Intermountain Express Company's proposed office building for the Pine Grove would not be a "bad" planning usage.

The hearing brought out these points, as proposed in the plan's unveiling January 31:

Orinda's estimated ultimate population will be about 25,000.

There is to be no change in present residential, or single-family zoning regulations.

FOUR ADDITIONAL elementary schools and two high schools will be needed. In addition to Miramonte High School, a second such school could possibly be located on East Bay Municipal Utility District land immediately north of the filter plant.

Status quo on the present business areas at the Crossroads and the Village and the Planned Neighborhood Business District between the Village and the Interchange Two small neighborhood shopping areas may be needed at opposite sides of Orinda, the plan states.

A library of some 6400 square feet.

Public recreational facilities, preferably set up around school sites.

Office building zones in the area immediately north and west of the Interchange, directly across San Pablo Dam Road from the Pine Grove corner.

Two-story garden-type apartments for a small area northwest of the Crossroads.

Orinda Village by-pass of San Pablo Dam Road, from the Village to the Interchange.

A new limited access road connecting with Camino Pablo in Moraga and Mt. Diablo Boulevard. The road would come into the highway at the entrance to the Kaiser Quarry road about midway between the Tunnel and the Crossroads.

Connections of existing roads suggested include Washington Lane with Bear Creek Road, Lombardy Lane with Briones View Road, Briones View with Canyon Road, Charles Hill Road with Diablo View, and extensions to Scenic Drive.

Civic Affairs Asks Hiring of Violich For Brochure on Pine Grove Land, PIE

When the Orinda Association Board of Directors meets at 7:30 p.m. Monday at Orinda School library, it will consider the following recommendations of the Civic Affairs Committee regarding the Pine Grove and Pacific Intermountain Express' plans for an office building at that corner:

1. That Professor Francis Violich, who has served as consultant to the association's Planning Committee, be retained to repare a brochure presenting the Planning Committee's objections to PIE's plans for a $750,000 headquarters at the site.

2. That local improvement groups throughout Orinda be asked to contribute to the Orinda Association for a special fund for publication of the brochure and retention of Professor Violich.

DELEGATES TO Civic Affairs unanimously passed motions embodying these recommendations at their monthly meeting Monday night at Orinda School library.

Motion for the retaining of Violich was by Robert J. Bettencourt. The motion that local groups be asked to contribute to a special fund was by Alex McLain.

Speakers stressed that it is important for the Orinda Planning Committee's report to be attractively presented, since it is expected that PIE will prepare an elaborate presentation of its views.

THE ORINDA Association board has already decided that both sides of the controversy be presented simultaneously to the community, on or after April 15.

The Planning Committee's report, submitted last month by Chairman James Hupp, has been taken under advisement by the board.

The two-pronged suggestion of the Civic Affairs Committee followed lengthy and at times bristling discussion.

At one point Bettencourt said he had thought the matter of the Pine Grove had been settled some months ago.

Mrs. Mitchell Farrar, chairman of the Women's Planning Council of Contra Costa County, then described some of the background of the long-pending controversy.

SHE SAID THAT the Orinda Association board had failed to take proper steps for community acquisition of the Pine Grove for community center purposes.

"I have the feeling that certain members of the Orinda Association board had private interests," she stated.

Later Zach Montgomery, past president of the association, observed:

"I'M SORRY Mildred feels that some of the board might have been on somebody's payroll"

"I didn't say that, Zach," Mrs. Farrar interjected. "I said they might have been prejudiced."

"Nobody got rich," Montgomery continued. "Some board members were subject to considerable pressure. An attempt was made to secure the Pine Grove for at least three years. That effort was not successful.

"WAS THE COMMUNITY of Orinda in a position to buy the Pine Grove last year — or two, three, five or 10 years ago?"

"Yes," Mrs. Farrar said.

President Robert Boyle interrupted: "I don't think this group is going to accomlish one nickel's worth by taking a smack at the board, past or present."

CIVIC AFFAIRS Chairman Paul Pollaczek agreed, stating, "Now the question is: Can the people of Orinda be convinced that they can acquire the land somehow, if they are convinced they do not want PIE?"

"I want it in the record that I wasn't blaming the board of the Orinda Association. But when you're planning for the future, you must disregard material considerations."

Board Orders Stop To Sewage Flow In Valley Creek

The Water Pollution Control Board in Oakland has placed the Southern Public Utility District on notice that the district cannot continue to dump sewage into San Ramon Valley's Green Valley Creek.

The notice came in the form of a resolution at the Water Pollution Control Board's March 17 meeting.

MRS. DORIS DORRIS, representing the utility at the hearing, asked what would happen if the utility continued to dump sewage into the creek.

"We would call a hearing, find you in violation of the law and then go into court," answered John B. Harrison, executive officer of the control board.

In accord with state water code procedures, the board set minimum standards of purity for matter dumped in the creek.

S.P.U.D. spokesmen admitted they could not attain these standards and would be forced to disobey, at least temporarily, the board order.

MRS. DORRIS assured the board that the district has petitioned for accpetance into the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District.

The latter district, she said, will have a sewer line extended to Cameo Acres, Las Lomitas and Vista Grande by September.

This will end the Green Valley Creek pollution problem, she stated.

Harry M. Donaldson, president of the anti-Pollution League of San Ramon Valley, protested the board's resolution.

HE CONTENDED it could be construed as a permit to allow the continued dumping of waste in the creek.

Harrison assured him, however, the resolution "will put the district in violation right away" if it continued to dump sewage.

Board Chairman John S. Longwell said the group was forced to act on the resolution because it "can't let this (pollution) go on any longer."

Thomas Lot Zone Hearing Delayed

A hearing on the controversial application of Dr. W. F. Thomas for retail business rezoning of his lot at the corner of Southwood Drive and Moraga Highway has been continued to April 26.

The continuance was granted Tuesday night by the County Planning Commission.

DR. THOMAS' attorney, Carlisle Nielsen, asked for the delay, indicating his client and protesting homeowners were trying to work out an agreement, "possibly in connection with a land use permit."

Joseph Creighton, attorney for Orindans, Incorporated, the improvement association for Moraga Estates, agreed to the continuance.

Moraga Estates residents voted March 17 at a meeting in Orinda School library to accept a medical office building on the property if Dr. Thomas withdraws his application for retail business rezoning and tries instead for a land use permit.

Lieut. Commander Thomas Stevens, president of Orindans, Incorporated, and Tom Sibary, one of the directors, presided at the meeting

ARCHTECT E. D. CERRUTI of Oakland, retained by Dr. Thomas, brought along a drawing of a two-story, "L" shaped office building.

Residents in attendance voted 24-3 that they would accept that type of structure.

The property concerned has been zoned residential since 1949, according to Creighton. Aread deed restrictions, calling for residential use only, have been in effect since 1937, he said.

According to Mrs. Tom Sibary, those protesting rezoning to retail business are concerned over what type of business would be established.

DR. THOMAS earlier indicated he was planning both a medical office building and a gas station on the property.

Basic opposition to the retail business rezoning application revolves around the following, according to Mrs. Sibary:

1. Once rezoning is allowed, no control over the type of structure to be established would be possible.

2. Applications for land use permits, on the other hand, must show the specific type of business planned, and residents of the area could lodge protests against objectionable businesses at the time of application.

4 Brunettes Enter Contest For Orinda Fiesta Queen

Announcement yesterday that four lovely brunettes are being sponsored as candidates for Orinda Fiesta Queen spurred preparations for the May 14-15 community celebration of completion of the Interchange.

At the same time, Mrs. Clinton V. Scarich, chairman of the Orinda Junior Woman's Club group handling tickets, announced that Fiesta Queen Contest tickets are being distributed under direction of the steering committee.

The Queen Contest is sponsored by the Orinda Chamber of Commerce. The following organizations have sponsored candidates listed, according to George Dodge, head of the chamber's committee:

Orinda Lions Club — Pat Camp.

Orinda Rotary Club—Bonnie Mason.

Orinda Park Pool — Pat Kiernan.

Orinda Estates Owners Association— Barbara Hansen.

"They're all brunettes," Dodge reported.

He added that additional candidates are expected to be sponsored within the next week.

"Several other girls are 'in the running'—but details will be forthcoming later," Laura Cooper, secretary of the Fiesta steering committee, explained.

Organizations desiring to sponsor a candidate or obtain blocks of tickets are asked by Mrs. Scraich to phone her at CLifford 4-3169 or Mrs. Cooper at the Fiesta Hut, CLifford 4-2200, for further information.

THE FIESTA HUT is at Moraga Highway and Brookwood Road. It is open from 11 a.m. to 2p.m., Mondays through Saturdays.

Brown Asks Shakeup in Civil Defense, Requests Separate County Department

Sheriff Harry Brown recommended Tuesday that civil defense be removed from his jurisdiction and be set up as a separate department.

His recommendation came in a letter addressed to County Board of Supervisors Chairman H. L. Cummings.

THE SUPERVISORS instructed County Administrator D. M. Teeter to arrange a meeting among the board, Teeter, Brown and Regional Civil Defense Coordinator Harry Stoops for next Tuesday to act on the recommendation.

Brown's letter said, "I believe that civilian defense is far too important to be a stepchild of this or any other department. Actually, gentlemen, I believe it is high time that his board and the county administration as a whole took cognizance of this situation."

CUMMINGS cautioned against relieving the sheriff of civil defense duties "until we know what direction we want to go."

Supervisor warren G. Buchanan of Pittsburg said civil defense needs reorganizing for "the good of the county."

Supervisor Ray S. Taylor commented, "it is unfair to ask any department to take on CD duties in addition to his own."

Teeter read the letter, which was to his attention, to the supervisors.

Here is the text:

"I AM SURE that the board of supervisors, and you in particular, Mr. Teeter, are aware that since I took office, I have had to administer the sheriff's department without the assistance of an aide who could carry out policies and procedures initiated by me."

"Without the assistance of such an aide, the duties of the law enforcement branch of the sheriff's department have kept me from taking a more active part in civil defense. You will concur, I am sure, that this is not a good administrative situation and one that should be remedied.

"I BELIEVE THAT civil defense is far too important to be a stepchild of this or any other department. Actually, gentlemen, I believe that it is high time this board and the county administration as a whole took cognizance of this situation.

"The only remedy I can suggest, and I do so regretfully, for I should have liked to devote a portion of my time to civil defense, is for the board to appoint a full-time director of civil defense, who is well-versed in governmental administration, and a full-time assistant director, to make civil defense a department in its own right within the county.

"If, gentlemen, President Eisenhower can appoint a Secretary of Peace at a time when the political picture would seem most gloomy, we can show statesmanship of similar proportions and face up to our duties to the people by acting constructively today on civil defense."

Consultant Says Plans Should Be On Region Basis

The Orinda master plan should be adopted on an "interim" basis and later be coordinated with plans for Moraga and Lafayette into a final "Area Plan" for this portion of the county.

That was the main recommendation made Tuesday night to the County Planning Commission by Francis Violich, consultant to the Orinda Association.

VIOLICH'S recommendation, in the form of a report to the association, was read by the association's planning committee chairman, James Hupp.

Hupp elaborated on the report in a brief discussion following the presentation.

Violich's review of the Orinda master plan contained a preface praising the county planning staff for "an excellent job of analyzing present problems of develoment in the Orinda area. . . ."

He recommended the plan should be adopted at "the earliest possible date' 'on an interim basis, pending completion of the Lafayette and Moraga plans.

He suggested also:

1. The proposal for a garden apartment area west of the Planned Neighborhood Business District "should be interpreted as a policy expressing only a general location in central Orinda," and not as a definite location for such dwellings, "so that should a school site be needed in this sector the garden apartment development might be located elsewhere . . ."

2. Precise planning should be carried out as part of the zoning process to locate the future community center on the Pine Grove site and to locate administrativ buildings at the south end of the Planned Neighborhood Business District. Those locations should be "considered as General Master Plan policy. . . ."

3. More emphasis on the need for adequate provision of recreation areas should be shown in the general plan's report.

4. **"THE NEW** Sleepy Hollow recreation area should be incorporated into the Plan."

5. "An appropriate link involving circulation, or a green belt reservation, or both, should be provided between the area for future western expansion of Orinda to connect with Tilden Regional Park."

HUPP ELABORATED on the latter point in his remarks.

He said "greenbelts" should tie in Tilden and Round Top Parks in the "open areas" noted on the plan map.

Hupp also recommended the Park Council and Recreation Commission should be consulted on suggestions for recreation and park areas.

Robert F. Elder Dies Suddenly

Robert Foster Elder, Orinda resident for 12 years, died suddenly at his home at 15 Via Hermosa last Friday morning, from a heart attack. He was 48 years old.

Private family services were held at Ellis-Olson Mortuary in Albany Saturday morning, with the Rev. Charles Hill of St. Stephen's Episcoal Church, Orinda, officiating. Cremation followed at Berkeley Crematory.

Elder is survived by his widow, Annis C. Elder; his 13-year-old daughter, Sheri Ann, and his sister, Elma D. Vilbiss of Oakland.

Elder was co-owner of the Contra Costa Office Machine Company of Richmond. He was treasurer of Orinda Park Pool and was a member of the Richmond Rotary Club.

His family asked friends and relatives not send flowers. Instead, they asked that memorial contributions be sent to the Contra Costa County Heart Association, 2363 Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Walnut Creek.

Book Circulation Up Nearly 100%

During the National Library Week (March 6-12) the Orinda Branch Library announced that book circulation figures have increased almost 100 per cent over last year.

In January, 1954, book circulation was 1759 volumes. This year, circulation had risen to 3438 volumes for the month of January.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lieberman, Orinda librarian, also lauded the contribution by the Orinda Lions Club of a book drop in the library door.

Lion Kenneth Courtright was responsible for the installation of the book drop for the convenience of returning books after library hours.

The Orinda Library, located in a basement room of Orinda Community Church, is open Monday through Friday from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. to noon.

Spring Comes in, Bird Goes Poetic

Spring slipped in without even shifting gears Monday.

Here are the week's temepratures:

	High	Low
March 17	65	37
March 18	70	31
March 19	66	36
March 20	62	37
March 21	65	28
March 22	59	32
March 23	67	32

Grass Fire Stopped

Firemen quenched a small grass fire across from Orinda School on the west side of San Pablo Dam Road at 4 p.m. Wednesday.

Students reported the fire.

Tool Theft Reported

Tools valued at $25 were stolen from the trunk of a car owned by R. A. Whittaker Monday night while the car was parked at his home, 3486 Monroe Avenue, according to a report filed at the sheriff's substation in Walnut Creek.

WC Explorer Tells Of Much Talk but No Treasure

"It's no secret, we didn't find gold but it was a wonderful experience," said John Beck, 36, of 1567 Terrace Road, Walnut Creek, after returning from an unsuccessful treasure hunt for a $60,000,000 buried treasure of gold on tropical Cocos Island.

Beck and 13 other crewmen, headed by Charles Williams of Manhattan Beach, spent two weeks on Cocos, which is about 300 miles southwest of Costa Rica, seeking gold and gems said to have been left by the mutinous crew of a ship en route from Per uto Spain.

An electronics technician on leave from Mare Island Naval Shipyard, Beck, though contracting a minor illness which necessitatd his flying home in advance of the rest of the crew, was pleased that he was able to contact 2040 other "hams" on the expedition's radio.

Beck, who operates radio station W6MBH here, was one of the few "hams" ever to broadcast from the Cocos.

Art Center Sponsors Plan Luncheon at Country Club

A lecture and luncheon for sponsors of the Orinda Children's Art Center and their guests will be held at the Orinda Country Club at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday.

Ralph Cronell Siegle of the California College of Arts and Crafts has chosen the title, "Splashing Paint through Europe" for his talk.

Mrs. Ted Harrer, president, is being assisted by Mrs. William C. Hagens, Mrs. Harry Lavegetto, Mrs. Charles Gibbs, Mrs. W. F. Funk and Mrs. James Lindsay.

From Lafayette will be Mrs. Harold Powell and Mrs. Rawlings Simon.

Among others who have made reservations are Mesdames Kerry Keresey, E. J. Unruh, Jack Fraser, Ridgeley Greahouse, Robert Powell, Don E. Hutchinson, W. M. Jaekle, Gerhard Burde, Spencer Archer, Richard Tharp, Gerald Trumbly, Dexter Warren and R. I. Copenhagen.

A number of the paintings done by the children in the Saturday morning art classes sponsored by the group will be on display.

Citation Pending After Car Crash

A citation is pending against Dennis A. Moore, 16, of Del Arroyo Court, Lafayette, after a two-car collision Saturday night in Orinda, according to the County office of the California Highway Patrol.

The accident occurred about a half mile east of Camino Pablo on Camino Sobrante, a CHP spokesman said.

The other drver was Tom Angell of 11 Via Hermosa, Orinda.

Moore's car was damaged at the left front and rear and Angell's on the left front, the CHP said. No injuries were reported.

The citation pending is for driving without due caution and on the wrong side of the road.

Caller Threatens 'Blowup' of Oak Park School

A warning that "the school will be blown up tomorrow" was given Wednesday afternoon, when a telephone call came to the office of Oak Park School on Oak Park Boulevard, Walnut Creek.

Mrs. Vera Ashworth, secretary, described the caller's voice as "muffled and feminine." The caller gave the warning and hung up abruptly, Mrs. Ashworth reported.

Principal C. R. Laudie notified the sheriff's department substation.

According to Sergeant Walter Young at the substation, the school was searched Wednesday night and patrol cars kept it under surveillance.

Young said the incident was "probably the work of a juvenile prankster." He cited similar cases of fiendish calls received by El Cerrito schools.

Don't Throw Paper Away!

Scouts of Troop 207 ask local residents to "bundle up those old newspapers and magazines, tie them securely and we will take them off your hands."

About 60 Scouts and their dads will call on homes throughout the Orinda-Moraga area tmorrow picking up all the papers and magazines the family car will hold.

Two large vans will be spotted at the Orinda Village to receive the papers.

Proceeds from the drive will help to complete the purchase of the seeing eye dog which the troop is buying for a needy blind person and also to pay for camperships for qualified Scouts.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, MARCH 25

Moraga Valley Community Club, civil defense program, Moraga, evening.

Shipmates, Clippers, joint meeting, Fellowship Hall, Orinda Community Church, 8 p.m.

SATURDAY, MARCH 26

Fantasians of the Children's Home Society, cake sale, Orinda Hardware Store 56 Moraga Highway, starting 10 a.m.

Catholic High School Speech Congress, St. Mary's College.

American Legion Post 517, dance, Veterans Memorial Building, Lafayette, 9 p.m. to 2 a.m.

Children's Approved Matinee, "The Savage," Park Theater, Lafayette, 2 p.m.

Boy Scout Troop 207, paper drive.

Orinda Community Church Women's Guild, Section 5, spring fashion show for children and adults, Fellowship Hall at the church, 2 p.m.

SUNDAY, MARCH 27

Attend the church of your choice.

Japanese tea and exhibit, to benefit Mrs. Kyoka Egusa, Stanley School auditorium, Lafayette, 3 to 5:30 p.m.

Potluck dinner, folk dancing, Contra Costa Jewish Community Center, Lafayette, 6 p.m.

MONDAY, MARCH 28

Orinda Association, Board of Directors, Orinda School library, 7:30 p.m.

Contra Costa Real Estate Mart breakfast, El Nido, Lafayette, 8 a.m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 29

Preliminary meeting, Seabury Guild, St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Via Las Cruces, 8 p.m.

Orinda Children's Art Center sponsors and guests, lecture and luncheon, Orinda Country Club, 10:30 a.m.

Orinda Lodge 703, F&AM, Orinda Community Church, 7:30 p.m.

Boy Scout Troop 207, Scout Hut, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30

Potluck supper, guest speaker, E. S. Thevasagayam, St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, 6:30 p.m.

Orinda Rotary Club, Willows, noon.

THURSDAY, MARCH 31

Lafayette Ground Observer Corps, business meeting, Burton School, 8 p.m.

Spring concert by student orchestra and choruses, Orinda School auditorium, 7:30 p.m.

Boy Scout Troop 237, Scout Hut, 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, APRIL 1

Orinda Mothers Club, bridge—home of Mrs. Harold Engman, 9 Robert Road, 9:30 a.m.; home of Mrs. James Dana, 265 Camino Pablo, 12:30 p.m .

Acalanes High School operetta, "Finian's Rainbow," 'Acalanes High School gym, 8 p.m.

Bill Ward, playing "Finian" in the Don music presentation "Finian's Rainbow," proves that the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow isn't in his hat to "Og." a Paul Hansen type Leprechauns from the wilds of Ire'; in center photo the stars of "Finian's Rainbow," front row left to right, Beth Johnson, Dick Jones, Gary Williamson, Paul Hansen, Sue Adair; second row, Paul Miller, Don Ong, Bill Ward, and Eddie Butler scan the riggings on the side curtains of the cafeteria stake looking for the pot of gold. In right photo, Paul Miller, the romantic hero of the operetta, is too busy taking in Beth Johnson, his love life in the musical, to care about pots of gold. The operetta is scheduled for 8 p.m., next Friday in the Don gym and will also feature the band and A Cappella chorus.

Acalanes Blueprint photo

Church's Plans Opposed by San Ramon Group

The First Church of Christ Scientist's request for a land use permit before the Contra Costa County Board of Adjustment March 16 was held over for two weeks.

The Scientists desire to establish a church and related facilities located on the corner of Walnut Boulevard and Eckley Lane, Walnut Creek.

Opposing the permit was a letter from the San Ramon Improvement Association presented by Ray Rosel.

Though the church plans include facilities for parking, the Association feels it is not ample enough. There was also a question about the drainage system.

The Biard of Adjustment hopes that in the two week interval the Scientists and the San Ramon Association will come to an agreement.

IT MAY BE JUST ANOTHER complicated device to most, but to Alice Marie Baumfalk, 7, the fluoridation equipment now installed in Gregory Gardens Water District may mean better teeth and less expensive dental bills for the rest of her life. The new machine will provide fluorides in the district's water at controlled levels recommended by dental health authorities. With 1500 subscribers, Gregory Gardens is one of the smallest districts in Central Contra Costa, but it is the first to provide fluoridation as recommended by American Dental Association and scores of other reputable groups. Explaining the equipment to Alice is her father, Louis, (right) and district manager Oliver Turpen. —SUN Photo by Mattson

Women's Guild To Give Fashion Show Tomorrow

Under the sponsorship of Section 5 of the Women's Guild of the church, a spring fashion show for children and adults will be presented at 2 p.m. tomorrow in Fellowship Hall of Orinda Community Church.

Mrs. Lars Jacobsen is chairman of the event, and fashions shown will be from Ogden's Tween Togs.

Models, who have been trained by Mrs. Ted Schilling, will be:

Adults — Virginia Still and Elsie Harmon.

Teen-agers—Abbie Sheldon, Nancy Long, Phyllis Dail and Judy Miner.

Junior P.F'ers—Tamara Hartanov, Kathie Brobeck, Judy Smith, Babette Ambler, Bonnie Boyd, Sue Schilling, Nancy Boebel, Nancy Peacock, Clarence Dawson, Patsy Tesman, Carol Harmon and Joanne Dawson.

Boys—Carl Ogden, Mike Kersten, John Davison and Ronald Stout.

Baby Shower Given By Mrs. Yates Bleuel

Mrs. Ralph Ready of Menlo Park was honor guest at a lovely spring luncheon given recently by Mrs. Yates Bleuel at her home on Tarry Lane, in Sleepy Hollow, Orinda. The occasion was also a baby shower for Mrs. Ready, and the young women guests were all friends of long standing, dating back to grammar school days in Berkeley.

Among those present were Mesdames L. D. Bynum, Earl Maynard, Donald W. Stewart, Constance Gibbs, Albert Crum and Mrs. Bleuel's and Mrs. Ready's mothers, the Mesdames Howard McCreary and Marshall Levis of Berkeley.

It was also Mrs. Maynard's birthday, and she was presented with a special cake for the occasion.

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THE ROSE BUSH KIDS, better known as Cub pack 229, all from Oak Park school, are, as their community project for this year, planting a rose bush to entwine the school fence. The young gardeners are, from left to right, Raymond Penning, Stan Watson, Arnold Hollander, John Yasudo, Scott Strochan and Bill Marshall.

SUN Photo by Mattson.

Cub Pack 229 Plants Roses

Sponsored by the Oak Park Parent Teachers Association, Cub Pack 229 last week as their community project, planted roses on the school fence facing Oak Park Boulevard.

The pack consisting of 50 cubs, ages 8 to 11, all from Oak Park School, will have to continue to water the flowers for the next several months.

THE MONEY WITH which they purchased the roses was raised through doughnut and ticket sales at the scout exposition held last month at Acalanes High School.

Another worthy project of the cubs was the repairing and restoring of toys for needy children, Christmsa, 1954.

THE PACK MEETS every Friday at Oak Park School, under the direction of William A. Babcock Jr. who has been cub master to the boys since the pack was established two years ago.

"We not only welcome new members but appreciate the needed help of the parents," said Mr. Babcock.

State Authority Tells Sub-Council Of New CD Plans

Nearly one hundred persons attended the Clayton Area Civil Defense Sub Council meeting Monday night to hear Lorren Fields, Radiological Chief of State Area 10, explain the Radef Service and needs.

Fields, an excellent speaker, was able to make the vital technical information understandable and of importance to each member of his audience.

SQUAD LEADERS RAYE and Obert attended the meeting with Fields and aided him in answering questions in an informal discussion period .

The highly publicized federal film "A New Look at the H Bomb" was shown. The film urges underground shelters for each family in rural areas near primte targets — areas similar to Clayton Valley.

NAN WALLACE, coordinator, stressed the importance of reevaluating the Sub Council plans, of informing the residents of the area of the "New Look" in Civil Defense and the need for working closely with the schools as they alter their plans.

Atha Slough, Chief of Welfare Services, and Ben Longacre, her atlernate, distributed the survey forms to the workers who covered the Clayton Valley area this week as part of the State Survey program.

JANICE RENALDI

Janice Renaldi invited Sharon Bray, Laurie Brown, Nelgene Herget, Judy Wilder, Lois Moxness, Judy Geandrot, Pamela Anderson and brother Rickey to celebrate her ninth birthday February 22. Ice cream and cake were served to the guests and then they were driven to the theater where they enjoyed a matineee.

Cancer Drive to Be Headed by Irving H. Magill

The 1955 Cancer Crusade in Contra Costa County will be headed by Irving H. Magill, it was announced today by Richard D. Sanders, president of the Contra Costa County Branch of the American Cancer Society.

Magill is an insurance broker associated with Ted Schroder in Walnut Creek. The Cancer Crusade will be conducted during April, which has been established by Congress as Cancer Control Month.

In accepting the 1955 chairmanship, Magill outlined twin goals for the April drive.

"We will combine the American Can Society's annual appeal for funds with an intensified educational program to impress upon everyone the need for early detection and treatment of cancer," he said.

"One fourth of all cancer's victims still die needlessly because their treatment cannot be started in time. During April we will emphasize the value of the Seven Danger Signals of Cancer as an aid to early detection of the disease."

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Student Wins Honors

Valerie J. DeLaneux of 1872 San Miguel. Walnut Creek, was one of 10 students from California who were among 1816 attaining a distinguished rating in their work at Purdue University during the first semester of the 1954-55 academic year.

Miss DeLaneux, who achieved a scholastic average of above "5" is a senior in science.

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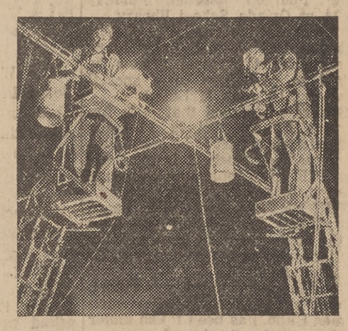

Fortunately, this scene isn't common. Telephone cables can usually be fixed in daylight. But once in a while, on the quiet streets here in town, you'll see cable "doctors" taking care of an emergency at night. For along with policemen, firemen, and the like, telephone people help keep the night watch while the rest of the community sleeps. Operators, testmen, and repairmen are on the job throughout the quiet hours. Indeed, one of the big values of your telephone service is that it never rests. Your telephone is ready to serve you whenever you need it, 'round the clock. Pacific Telephone works to make your telephone a bigger value every day.

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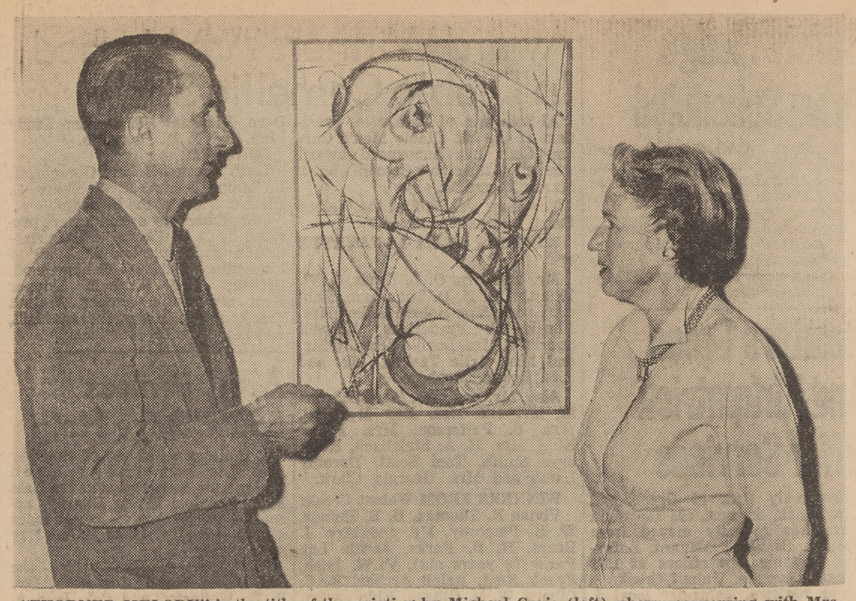

"THORNED MELODY" is the title of the painting by Michael Czaja (left), shown conversing with Mrs. John Ellis, past president of Valley Art Center (formerly Outdoor Art Shows, Inc.). The painting is now hanging at the Valley Art Center gallery at 3420 Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Lafayette, as a memorial to Dorothy Moore Brown, founder of the gallery, until recently known as the Artists' Market.
—SUN Photo by Mattson

Residents Protest Sewer Plan

After intensive discussion March 17, Central Contra Costa Sanitary District board of directors came up with an assessment plan to finance a 36-inch main sewer line south from Walnut Creek to Danville.

Protests against the big line by a group of Danville property owners followed.

The line would serve some 8500 acres in the San Ramon Valley, most of which is outside present CCCSD boundaries.

THE COUNTY Board of Supervisors is to decide April 5 whether or not to set up the special assessment district necessary to allow the 36-inch line.

Property owners in the proposed assessment district appeared at the March 17 meeting to obtain information on the plan.

Some 65 persons jammed the CCCSD headquarters in Walnut Creek.

Gerald Deardorff and Graham Sullivan, representing a Danville area citizen's group, asked most of the questions, and CCCSD Engineer-Manager Gerry Horstkotte answered them.

SULLIVAN SAID, "Something is proposed to happen to us and we want to find out what it is. We don't oppose anything yet, because we don't know exactly what your plan is."

As the CCSD board discussed the problems connected with establishment of the proposed district, Sullivan said:

"This discussion indicates why we are concerned. The board doesn't seem to know what it wants to do."

Board member Ernest Spiegl, who later drafted the assessment plan, answered, "We hope to know by the end of this meeting."

THE PLAN DRAFTED was based on the following:

1. Assessments would be levied on the basis of "benefit" to the individual property owner.

2. Assessments would be on a "parcel" basis, regardless of the size of a given piece of property.

3. The 8500-acre area would be divided into three sections for the purpose of assessment.

SECTION A would be that property such as Cameo Acres and other adjoining tracts east of Danville already annexed to the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District.

Section B would be "All property not presently within the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District but within 600 feet of the proposed main trunk line."

Section C would include all other property within the proposed assessment district.

THE PLAN, in the form of a resolution, went on to say:

"In so adopting this resolution, this Board is cognizant of the fact that the actual dollar cost of such assessment cannot be ascertained until the costs are known, but believe, on the basis of current information, that the assessment so levied will be approximate:

"For area (a) $277.50; for area (b) $232; for area (c) $185."

THE BOARD POINTED out that "no such land, so assessed, may later annex to Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, or otherwise use the facilities thereof, without paying a fee per residence or other sewage producing parcel equivalent to the assessment which would have been paid had it been subdivided on the date of original assessment."

Board President Irving Roemer explained that when application for connections are made, the cost for service will be assessed at the rate of $191 per acre, regardless of how many parcels are developed on the acre, although the schedule for house service depends upon the number of baths and connections made and the amount of footage for laterals to reach the house.

To assure questioners on whether or not they would be considered a part of the Sanitary District under the plan of assessment, the resolution stated:

Property "not presently within the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District is not subject o the jurisdicion or taxing power of (the district), except for such original assessment, unless and until such property annexes to (the district) as provided by law."

COST OF THE 36-inch line has been estimated at about $700,000.

The CCCSD is committed to installing at least a 10-inch line to the Cameo Acres sector by the end of next summer.

However, the board, backed up by county health officials, feels a 36-inch line is necessary to serve not only that area but the rest of the huge proposed district, to avoid installation of a parallel line, with added costs, as the area develops.

Whether or not the plan to finance the 36-inch line will become reality hinges on the action of the Board of Supervisors.

THE DANVILLE property owners concerned over possible costs of the sewer line met Friday night at Charlotte Wood School in Danville and voted to oppose the plan.

The meeting was presided over by Herman J. Sankuhle Jr., president of the Sunset Nursery Company.

The meeting heard the report of Graham Sullivan and Gerald Deardorff, both of whom attended the previous night's meeting of the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District board of directors.

IT WAS DECIDED to employ Gordon Turner, Ygnacio Valley attorney, and Roy E. Ramseier, Oakland engineer, to make a study and to report back in time for the April 5 meeting of the County Board of Supervisors.

The group decided to oppose any plan for assessments for a 36-inch line and indicated the presently-committed 10-inch line to the Cameo Acres area should be the "stopping place" for the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District.

The latter district's counsel, John A. Nejedly, appeared at Friday's meeting to remind the group that the present CCCSD plan was "in accord" with county master sewerage recommendations.

He pointed out the "serious health problems" caused by failing septic tanks in the area and warned the group to consider future costs of a parallel line.

The group indicated a "protest" delegation would be present at the April 5 meeting of the board of supervisors.

Air Raid Warnng Signals Now 'Alert,' 'Take Cover'—No More 'All Clear'

Lester Clark, assistant director of the Contra Costa County Civil Defense and Disaster Council, announced this week he has received from the state and federal civil defense authorities important information on changes in the public warning signals.

These changes are effective immediately, and the county air raid warning sirens will be adjusted accordingly, Clark said.

Horns, whistels or other similar devices may be used as well as sirens for public warning devices. "They will be used to convey civil defense action signals, not to announce the declaration of conditions of air defense warning," Clark explained.

THERE WILL NOW be two civil defense public action signals:

1. The alert.
2. The take cover.

These signals may be sounded in any order and may be repeated as desired.

The alert signal will be a steady blast of 3 to 5 minutes' duration.

The take cover signal will be a wailing tone or a series of short blasts of 3 minutes' duration.

THE ALERT SIGNAL will indicate to the public to act according to the operation plan of the local civil defense authorities.

In most target areas this signal will indicate dispersal .

Further instructions will be given to the public by all possible means of communication.

The take cover signal will indicate attack is imminent and the public must take the best available shelter.

Since hazard of radioactive fallout may preclude bringing the public out of shelters in all areas simultaneously, the former "All Clear" or "Warning White" signal will be given by other means of communication.

Those persons taking advantage of CONELRAD — 640 or 1240 Standard AM radio will be given instructions and all information available prior, during an dafter an enemy attack.

"The County Office of Civil Defense will keep the public fully and completely informed as local plans are developed in accord with the new federal and stat einformation," Clark stated.

Previously scheduled warning system tests for March 28 and April 25 have been canceled by the state. Procedures for future tests are being considered.

'Your Home Has Warning System For Air Raids!'

Most Contra Costa County families have an air raid warning system right in their own homes, Lester Clark, assistant county civil defense director, stated this week.

"This system is available to all who will take advantage of CONELRAD and keep a radio or TV on at all times," Clark said. He continued:

"**CONELRAD** is a special system of AM (standard) radio broadcasting to bring you official information in time of emergency.

"The system was developed by the combined efforts of the broadcasting industry and the government for the protection of the American people.

"**IF YOU ARE** listening to any kind of radio or TV set when the alert is placed in effect you will hear a message like this:

" 'We interrupt our normal program to cooperate in security and civil defense measures as requested by the U.S. Government . . .

This is a CONELRAD radio alert . . . Listen carefully! This station is now leaving the air. During the CONELRAD radio alert there will be no FM or TV programs. The only program on the air will be on your standard radio at 640 or 1240 kilocycles for official instructions, news and official information.'

"**LOCAL, STATE** and national news and instructions will come over CONELRAD. If your radio or TV is on you will have this information on WARNING YELLOW signal — 'Attack Probable.' If your radio or TV is not on and you hear the civil defense sirens or attack warning signals, tune your radio — AM — at once to the proper dial setting — 640 or 1240.

"If your radio or TV is operating on a normal basis, you will know the siren is operating on a test basis."

Capwell's Corrals Collar Clinic

Special advice on shirts and collars will be available at Capwell's Walnut Creek next Friday and Saturday, April 2.

Philip Cleon Macrides, manager of product design for Cluett, Peabody & Co. will present a Collarama Clinic and answer customer questions, as well as give personal assistance in selection of proper collar styles according to individual build and face shape.

Macrides has designed custom shirts for leading political, theatrical and sports figures, including Jack Dempsey, Jimmy Walker and Tom Mix.

The Collarama Clinic will feature 48 collar styles and will be held in the Men's Furnishings Department, street floor.

BIRTHDAY, DINNER party, vacation special event—send us your items. This is your newspaper.

Volunteers Take Part in Practice Air Alert Here

An average of 10 hours a day was spent by volupteer sky watchers manning the Lafayette Ground Observer Corps post in a practice air alert recently ,according to Isabelle Salisbury, post supervisor.

The post serves the Orinda-Lafayette-Walnut Creek area.

The alert began Wednesday, March 9, and continued until Thursday, March 17.

On Tuesday, March 8, Cub Scouts from Den 2, Pack 220, were visitors at the ground observer station.

Mrs. William Wakeman, den mother, accompanied the boys, who were Tod Feiler, Bob Thompson, Michael Walsh, James Hassey and Gary Wakeman.

The third business meeting of the Lafayette GOC will be held Thursday, March 31, 8 p.m., at the Burton School.

Jewish Center Plans Potluck, Folk Dancing

Dinner will be served from the potluck table Sunday at 6 p.m. at the Contra Costa Jewish Community Center in Lafayette, according to Mrs. Sid Kroff, Orinda, social chairman of the League of Jewish Women.

Folk and square dancing will follow.

Marie and Bob Ross, popular Orindans, will call the dances.

Mrs. Kroff will be assisted by Mrs. Joseph Katzburg, Concord; Mrs. Carl Moore, Orinda; Mrs. Manny Sidorsky, Martinez; Mrs. Herbert Martin, Lafayette; Mrs. Harry Freeman and Mrs. Harry Lotzkar, Walnut Creek.

Deadline Near For Registration For School Vote

Deadline for registration of voters for the May 20 election for School Board Trustees is this Sunday, March 27.

The league of Women Voters will have two registrars stationed in front of the Lucky Store, Broadway Shopping Center, Walnut Creek, tomorrow, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. expressly for the public to register now in order to vote for the trustees of their choice in May.

Candidates so far for the School Board elections are:

ALAMO
Robert C. Husted (Incumbent), Howard H. Menges, Jaye S. Flagg, Melvin W. Young and Dorothy Powell.

MORAGA
Harry L. Rohrer (Incumbent)

ORINDA
Frank J. Cayting (Incumbent), Mrs. Catherine Schwarch (Incumbent) and Frank E. Shirey.

LAFAYETTE
Frederick C. Merner (Incumbent), John R. Jaques(Incumbent), Patrick F. Conway and Dwight C. Birch.

ACALANES
Karl Newbury (Incumbent), William B. Freeman (Incumbent) and Patrick F. Conway.

WALNUT CREEK
Harmon K. Howard (Incumbent) and Mrs. Shirley Hadsen (Incumbent).

No one in the Mount Diablo Unified School District has as yet filed.

Scouts to Have Big Spring Camporee

Some 4000 Boy Scouts of Mt. Diablo Council are eligible to participate in the Spring Camporee, scheduled for May 21-22 at the Council's new Marsh Creek Camp, just off the Marsh Creek highway on the northeast slope of Mt. Diablo, according to Ford Carr, director of camping.

Troop camping on a patrol basis will be emphasized, stated Robert LeTourneau, Richmond, chairman of the camporee committee.

Each troop will work toward a fixed standard of proficiency with its patrols demonstrating Scoutcraft learned and practiced as part of the Troop's yearly program.

Brochures for the Camporee have just been mailed from the Council office to all Scoutmasters.

"The Camporee is more than just cooking and sleeping out-of-doors," said LeTourneau. "At its best, it is a demonstration of patrol organization and operation, leadership of boys by boys, handicraft as displayed by Scout-made equipment, and observance of the Scout Oath and Law."

Judging of the patrols will be done by a Committee of Scouters headed by Dr. Ted Cleveland, Berkeley.

Field events will be held, and they will be judged as part of the total program, said Cleveland. These events include rope work, compass and first aid.

Judges will make their decisions on the basis of the number of boys participating, as well as upon the excellence of performance.

Other committees have been named, and have started to work, headed by the following men: Lew Johnson, Concord — program; L. A. Dodge, Walnut Creek — physical arrangements; and Herb Macey, Pleasant Hill — publicity.

William Rupley Wins Lions Contest

William Rupley won the zone finals in the Lions Club Student Speakers Contest Tuesday night at El Nido, Lafayette.

William, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rupley of 106 Camino Don Miguel, Orinda, is a senior at Acalanes High School.

HE REPRESENTED the Orinda Lions Club in competition with student winners from Lions Clubs in Lafayette, Walnut Creek, Pleasant Hill and Danville.

Runnersup were:

Linda Jacobsen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thorvald Jacobsen, 3242 Glenside Drive, Lafayette. A senior at Acalanes, she represented Lafayette.

Joan Maddock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Rennacker of 216 Estates Drive, Danville. A senior at San Ramon Valley High School, she represented Danville.

RICHARD BRUNGARD, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Brungard, 2140 Ward Drive, Walnut Creek, senior at Las Lomas High School, representing Walnut Creek.

Robert Hesse, son of Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Hesse, 514 Masefield Drive, Concord, senior at Pleasant Hill High School, representing Pleasant Hill.

Rupley will represent the zone at the regional finals next month.

He will compete against zone finalists from Alameda and Contra Costa County. According to Lou Repetto of the Lafayette Lions, the regional finals will probably be hosted by the El Cerrito Lions Club.

ULTIMATE GOAL is to be winner over speakers throughout the California-Nevada Lions Club District.

The contest, to be held in June, will carry with it a $1500 scholarship for the winner.

Judges at Tuesday's contest were Superior Court Judge Harold Jacoby, Lions Deputy District Governor Walter Sisk and Mrs. Bess Whitcomb, drama instructor at Contra Costa Junior College.

TIMERS WERE Norman Ironside and Don Tice. Tallying the points were Harry Andrews and Al Medau.

The students spoke on "Safety Through Sane Living."

Lafayette Lions Club President Ray Dittmeyer announced the regular monthly board of directors meeting of the local club would be held at his home the evening of April 4.

Donald B. Sterling WC Resident Dies

Donald B. Sterling, 70, died on March 17 at his home 1455 Green Village Road, Walnut Creek.

Mr. Sterling is survived by his wife, Margaret; two sons, Donald R. of Los Angeles and Robert R. of Oakland; a brother, John of Los Angeles and a sister, Mrs. Lenna Harrier of North Hollywood.

Funeral services were held in the Little Chapel of the Flowers and the interment took place in Memory Gardens, Concord.

Air Reservists Planning Drive

A month-long drive in April to encourage inactive Air Force reservists into active units was announced today by Lieut. Col. Justin G. Knowlton, 1961 Lilac Drive, Walnut Creek.

Col. Knowlton is commander of the 9080 Air Reserve Group in Oakland.

April has been designated as Air Reserve Month in the East Bay area.

A special staff, headed by Lieut. Col. William K. Houston, 1 Robert Road, Orinda, has been selected to work with Colonel Knowlton on Air Reserve Month.

Among those assisting Colonel Houston are Maj. James A. Felchin, 100 Lombardy Lane, Orinda, and Lt. Col. William L. Cook, 39 Donna Maria Way, Orinda.

Locals to Attend G.O.P. Workshop

Among local women expecting to attend the California Federation of Republican Women spring workshop in Fresno are Mrs. Ernest H. Hadden and Mrs. Robert Gailbraith of Orinda and Mrs. Summer McAllister of Lafayette.

Mrs. Gladys Leggett Penland of Berkeley will preside over the workshop, beginning at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Hotel Californian in Fresno.

Mesdames Hadden and Galbraith are members of the executive committee of the state board and Mrs. McAllister is a board member.

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Acalanes Operetta Next Friday Night

More than 150 Acalanes High School students will participate next Friday night in the annual Don operetta, to be given at 8 o'clock in the school gym. The 1955 production is "Finian's Rainbow," long-run broadway musical.

The production will feature the Acalanes band and chorus and student singers.

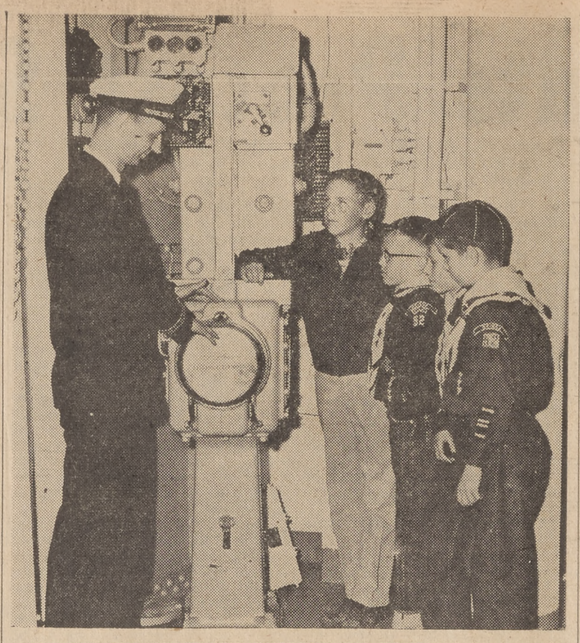
Many of the songs from "Finian's Rainbow" have been hit parade melodies, including "If This Isn't Love" and "How Are Things in Glocca Morra?"

THE OPERETTA musically tells the story of an illusive pot of gold smuggled out of Ireland and brought to the United States and the never-say-die efforts of the Irish leprechauns and their representative, "Og," to take the gold back.

Paul Hansen stars as "Og," while Beth Johnson, Bill Ward, Paul Miller, Sue Adair, Gary Williamson, Don Ong and Dick Jones share top billing.

THOSE IN the supporting cast include Kent Grigg, Edward Butler, Terry Ashe, Tim Wright, Ernest Fox, Phyllis Porter, William Ward, Marlowe Boyd, Clay Kelly, Robert Hall, Betty Clark, Leah May Wells, Phil Lemos, Don Morrow, Phil Shoptaugh, Fred Arbogast and Morgan Jellet.

Richard Hansen, Acalanes music director, is in charge of the production.



ABOARD THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER USS BOXER, a few of the boys of Den 6, Orinda Cub Pack 52, listen to Lieut. Anderson explain the elevator equipment. Left to right, the boys are Reg Barrett, den chief; Brad Hawks, Billy Smith and Bobby Walling. U.S. Navy photo

Three Speakers Discuss Planning

At a meeting March 15 at Lafayette Community Methodist Church, sponsored by the Central Contra Costa County Democratic Club, three speakers discussed the county zoning and planning problem.

Mrs. Mitchell Farrar, chairman of the Contra Costa County Women's Planning Council told the audience of about 40 people:

"If the Moraga area is zoned without reference to a comprehensive plan based on thorough studies, it will be glaringly evident that the master plan for the county is being stalled to permit developers rather than professional planners to map the future of this county."

FRANK KELLER, vice-president of Utah Construction Company, said zoning should precede master planning so that "major features will be where they are needed."

He spoke in favor of the large zones planned by Utah for business in the project, stating that it is not the intention of Utah Company to have "strip" business and that it is better to overestimate the business need than to underestimate it.

MEL G. SCOTT, lecturer in City and Regional Planning at the University of California, in a short, concise speech pointed out that Utah had done a service for the area by stimulating interest in the problem.

He said that what should be done first in planning is to determine the economic needs of a community. "Then it's possible to find out the size zones necessary to fulfill those needs."

He added that zoning is "a means of implementing a master plan."

Bicycle Safety Program Starts

Captain R. Magill of the Contra Costa County unit of the California Highway Patrol has announced that the California Highway Patrol, local police departments, parent-teachers associations, Contra Costa County school departments and various service clubs in the county are embarking on a county-wide Bicycle Safety Program.

Captain Magill stated that the success of the program depended on the wholehearted support of all parents in checking unsafe bicycle riding practices of their children.

He emphasized the California Vehicle Code states that every person riding a bicycle on a highway or street shall be granted all of the rights and shall be subject to all of the duties applicable to the driver of an automobile.

The young bicycle rider of today is the automobile driver of tomorrow, he added.

Captain Magill said a Bicycle Safety Program kit prepared by the Contra Costa County School Department will be distributed to each parent-teacher unit, and to each school to implement and guide the program.

Foundation Group To Meet Friday

The Northern California Volunteer Committee, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, will meet at 8 p.m. next Friday in the Golden West YMCA, 333 Eucalyptus Drive, Stonestown, San Francisco.

Dr. Alexander G. Rogerson, Clinical Instructor in Pediatrics at the University of California Medical Center, will speak on the nature of the disease.

Odds and Ends from St. Mary's Orchards

By JO KLEINENBROICH
AT 3-2124

BUS STOP

Lou Comstock, 3235 Camino Colorados, was waiting at the bus depot in the city last week when approached by a young woman. She said she had lost her bag and needed money to get home. He gave her a quarter he had handy and she thanked him saying that would make exact fare for her trip home.

After settling himself on the bus he opened the paper. There was her picture on the front page — Tina Dutton — Market Street panhandler!

A REAL SLIDE

Skiing at Sugar Bowl was the weekend pastime of Bev and Walt Tibbits and friends, Frank and friends Frank and Mary Proctor of Sacramento.

Bev took a real Brodie on the icy snow and skidded upside-down and backwards down the slope using her shoulder blades as runners.

No condolences please — she is recovering nicely.

Bev and Walt spent last weekend in Long Beach attending a business convention.

Bob and Margo Berndt have had a delightful time entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Orris Johnson, relatives from Missouri.

The Johnsons are attending a Prudential Insurance convention in San Francisco. They have been visiting back and forth and having a grand time dining and sightseeing together.

Suzie, a South American Cinnamon Faced, Ringtailed Monkey, is causing quite a bit of excitement on upper Rohrer Drive. Joanne McCullogh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. McCullough, the monkey's owner, is every proud of her and dresses her in doll clothes.

The little seven-month-old monkey has the intelligence of a five-year-old child in every way except vocally, making a wonderful pet.

When put out for exercise she delights the children of the neighborhood daily with her antics.

BACK FROM UTAH

Red and Bobbie McCullough recently returned from a trip to Salt Lake City where they visited relatives. It is so nice to hear that Red is recovering nicely from his recent accident.

Last weekend Bill and Molly Kinney hosted a bridal shower for their good friends, Dewey and Helen Mostad. There were 20 guests, all from San Francisco.

Scotty and Tay Wheeler have attended christenings for the past three weekends. The latest was for the fifth child of George Wheeler at the Orinda Santa Maria Catholic Church.

Helen Arnold accompanied her husband Keith last Friday on a business trip to Marysville.

Keith was the guest speaker at a dinner meeting for the Feather River Forum Section of the Society of American Foresters. He is the manager of the fire research program, which is one phase of his position.

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GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Lutheran

Pastor Merle Tollefson of Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 1035 Carol Lane, will preach on the sermon theme, "A Way of Devotion," Sunday morning at both services.

Sunday School is at 9:30 for grades four through high school and 11 for preschool through grade three.

Senior Luther League will meet at 7:30 and is open to all students of high school age. Sunday at 8 p.m. the Adult Inquiry Class will meet and the topic for dicussion will be "The Holy Spirit."

Tuesday at 8 p.m. the Board of Trustees will hold its monthly meeting.

"Rejected as a Leader" will be the subject for the Lenten meditation Wednesday at 8 p.m.

Thursday morning at 10 the Women's Bible Class will meet, followed by a Willing Workers day and a sandwich lunch.

Youth choir will meet Thursday at 7:30 p.m., and senior choir at 8 p.m.

Saturday at 10 a.m. is Junior Confirmation Class, and at 10:30 the junior choir will rehearse.

Community

"Stabilizers," fifth in a lenten sermon series titled "A Lenten Voyage," is the subject for the sermon at 11 o'clock at the Ornda Community Church Sunday.

At this service Margaret Popovich will direct the choir in an anthem and Daniel Popovich will preside at the console of the memorial organ.

Marena Hewitt is organist for the earlier service for young people and adults, at 9:30 in the chapel, and conducted by the Rev. Fred Morrow and Ray Welles.

Classes follow, with the adults meeting to discuss the book of Mark with Mr. Morrow as leader. All ages are served in departmental worship and class instruction at this hour. Enrollments are still being received at an unusual rate for this season, reports indicate.

The school enrolls over 600 students.

A fellowship program for young people is offered in two sections Sunday evening. Seventh and eighth graders gather at 5:30 and the high school age at 6:45. Both groups are jointly led by Mr. Welles and Jack Biersdorf.

Seabury Guild To Hold Meet

A preliminary meeting of the Seabury Guild for St. Stephen's Episcopal Church of the Orinda and Lafayette area will be held Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the undercroft of the valley mission on Via Las Cruces in Orinda.

Composed of young married people, the Guild will support various projects within the congregation and will undertake to improve church activity.

There will be a discussion on projects to be undertaken with all suggestions by any member present to be recorded and considered.

Refreshments will be served by Mrs. David Brunson and Mrs. William Love, who are also in charge of organization.

BIRTHDAY, DINNER party, vacation special event—send us your items. This is your newspaper.

Covenant

The Men's Brotherhood will hold a monthly meeting tonight in the Lafayette Covenant Church, beginning at 7:30. A varied program has been arranged, and all men are cordially invited to attend.

"Three Reasons Why Christ Came" will be the sermon topic Sunday at the 11 o'clock worship. The Rev. G. Raymond White will speak at 7 p.m. on "The Times of the Gentiles."

Bible school will meet at 9:45 a.m. The young people will meet at 6 o'clock. Topics dealing with "Our Life in Christ" will be continued.

The choir is preparing special music for the Easter season. All those who enjoy choir work are invited to be present at 7:15 p.m. Wednesdays. The midweek meeting follows at 8:15 p.m.

The meeting time of the conformation class has been changed to Thursdays at 3:50 p.m.

Community

The Rev. Chester R. Lewis of Lafayette Community Methodist Church has chosen for his sermon topic Sunday, "Building on the Ashes of Our Day." Mr. Lewis will preach at the 8:30 and 11 a.m. services, using the same subject at both.

Special music includes the anthem "Praise and Thanksgiving," by Moir, with George Shoptaugh directing.

Sunday School is at 9:30 a.m. The youth groups will meet in the church lounge at 7 p.m. Sunday.

Presbyterian

Continuing his sermons on "The Resurrection Life," the Rev. W. Carl Thomas, pastor of the Lafayette-Orinda Presbyterian Church will speak on "When God Speaks to His Friends" at the 11 a.m. service at the Park Theater, Lafayette.

There is a nursery and Junior church at this time at the Lafayette Town Hall.

Sunday School classes are at 9:40 a.m. at the Town Hall for children two-years-old and over, and at 9:..5 at the theater for adults.

"Christianity at the Bar of History" will be Mr. Thomas' subject as he addresses the prospective members' class Sunday at 8 p.m. at the Town Hall.

Members and friends are urged to reserve Wednesday evening, April 6, on their calendars.

At that time there will be a concert of Holy Week music at the Orinda Community Church by the Women's Chorale under the direction of Howard Harrisville, and featuring Dr. Henry Shefof, bass-baritone. Dr. Shefoff will be accompanied by Herman A. Johnson, organist. Further details will be announced.

LODGE INITIATES

Mrs. Otho Mills of Lafayette, Noble Grand of this district's Rebekah Lodge, recently officiated at initiation ceremonies in the Danville IOOF Hall.

Mrs. Peggy Starks, chaplain, and Ettie Goss, Junior Past Grand, both of Lafayette, and Lena Therildsen of Orinda assisted in arrangements for the candlelight services.

Dramateurs' 'Angels' Have Aid of Adolph

By THE REVIEWER

Friends of Paul Pollaczek of Orinda and Jack Holder of Walnut Creek do not think of them as jovial, philosophical and idealistic murderers.

Yet they convincingly portrayed such roles in "My Three Angels," comedy by Sam and Bella Spewack recently given by the Dramateurs at Berkeley High School Little Theater, Allston Way at Grove Street, Berkeley.

Audiences on March 11, 12, 18 and 19 enjoyed the subtle humor of the play, which is laid in Cayenne, capital of French Guiana, at Christmastime, 1910.

POLLACZEK, HOLDER and Merritt Mann acted the roles of three prisoners from a French penal colony who are assigned to do repairs for the Ducotel family—and who repair not only the Ducotels' roof but also the family's personal complications.

They achive this accomplishment with the aid of snake Adolph (who isn't even listed in the cast of charcters!).

The Ducotels are deeply appreciative of the "three angels." Whether they would have been equally appreciative had they known the means used is a moot question—but no one feels like quibbling while seeing and hearing so delightful a performance.

VETERAN THESPIANS James Stanislawsky and Patricia Winkworth were Felix and Emilie Ducotel. As they pondered over their problems in the living room back of their general store, they were so expert in simulating despair and hope that we forgot momentarily that it was all stage make-believe.

Jeantine Kenyon as their daughter Marie Louise was the naive, trustful bit of feminine liveliness called for by the part.

The "villain," Henri Trochard, was skilfully enacted by Leonard Nachman.

IT SHOULD BE mentioned at this point that although Marie Louise and Henri Trochard are "type" roles, they are far less caricaturish than are the roles in revivals of old-time American "mellerdrammers." That makes the parts evocative of genuine audience response.

Much of the credit for this, of course, goes to Miss Kenyon and Nachman and to Director Carl Rasmussen. Rasmussen, by the way, did an over-all job which justified the expectations of those who saw the Dramateurs' two previous productions, "Giaconda Smile" and "Summer and Smoke," both directed by him.

Charlotte Chapple as the scheming Madame Parole and Karl Sterne in his first acting role, as Paul, gave creditable performances. However, one can't help feeling that Sterne was a bit "afraid" of his part and failed to give it maximum effectiveness.

Armando Ramon appeared briefly toward the end of the play as the lieutenant. Although he went through his motions dapperly, he was not seen enough for his acting ability to be judged.

Church Supper Will Feature Ceylon Speech

Speaking on Christianity in Ceylon, E. S. Thevasagayam will be honored guest at a potluck supper on Wednesday evening, at 6:30 in the undercroft of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church.

Thevasagayam is a second generation Christian, his father having been converted from the Hindu faith. His wife, Daisy, will accompany him Wednesday evening.

No reservations are necessary. It is asked that each family bring any dish desired. Child care will be provided.

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Safety Pledge Drive Scheduled

Saturday, April 2, has been scheduled by the Lafayette-Orinda Junior Chamber of Commerce as Safety Pledge Day in the two communities.

Booths will be set up in convenient locations so that all drivers may sign the pledge and receive the black and red Safety Pledge rear bumper sticker.

Realtors Green And Kirkpatrick Offer Services

The realy firm of Green and Kirkpatrick, in business for eight years, has recently moved from 3255 Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Lafayette, to their new offices at 1578 Ygnacio Avenue, Walnut Creek.

The realtors, centrally located, have adopted as their slogan, "The gateway to Ygnacio Valley".

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Now being developed by Green and Kirkpatrick is the Dewing Ranch in Saranap area. Seventeen ranch homes will take up the walnut land in a beautiful creekside setting.

Assuring friendly and courteous service to the public, the staff includes Art and Louise Jacobsen, Alice Campbell, Caroline Gilbreath, Marvell Steiner, Glen Jones, Bob Green and Phil Kirkpatrick.

Playshop to Give Three-Act Farce

Lafayette Playshop will present "Accidentally Yours," a farce in three acts by Pauline Williams Snapp, at Lafayette Town Hall April 29 and 30. It is being directed by J. Mills Adair.

"Accidentally Yours" is a comedy about a mild little history teacher whose wife thinks he is a genius and insists he must write a prize-winning novel because he once wrote a child's book.

He produces a highly sexy book.

The cast is headed by John Milano, Bonnie Bosley, Charles Bosley and Barbara Bardell. Others cast are Ardie Daugherty, Mae Machuca, Thais Ackerman, George Becker and Naida Hickox.

Lions' Queen Choice Is Guest at Meet

Pat Camp, Orinda Lions Club candidate for Fiesta Queen, was one of the guests at the club's meeting Wednesday night at the Willows.

A second reading of the 1955-56 officer slate was given. Elections will be held next month.

Ken Courtright showed a movie of the Helinski Olympic Games followed by Tom Pauli, who showed a movie on fishing.

St. Mary's Will Play Marine, Navy Teams

A pair of service teams, the Marine Corps Annex and Treasure Island Navy, will provide the baseball competition this weekend for the St. Mary's Phoenix, 4-3 winners over City College of San Francisco in their recent opener.

Both encounters will be played on the St. Mary's home diamond and will be open to the public. Today's tilt with the Marine Annex team will start at 3 p.m., and the Navy game tomorrow will get underway at 2 p.m.

Award Winners Are Named In Diablo Camellia Show

Al Schwerin of Lafayette, president of the Mt. Diablo Men's Garden Club, has announced award winners in the club's Camellia Show March 12 and 13.

The show was held at the Walnut Creek Recreation Center.

WINNERS FROM LAFAYETTE are:

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Davis, J. W. Tinay, Mrs. E. D. Thompson, Robert Hodel, Mrs. Robert Miller, Mrs. Harold C. Fredericks, Burwell Spurlock, Mrs. Lucille Schmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Tackett, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jacobson.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Schwerin, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McNairy, Mrs. C. Patterson, Mrs. Frank King, Mrs. H. A. Steinbach, Katheryn Smith, Toni Scott, Dorothy Lamb and Mrs. Georgia Clark.

WINNERS FROM Walnut Creek: Vivian K. Thomas, D. B. Hefner, W. B. Pomeroy, Mr. and Mrs. J. Beers, H. B. Parks, Jackie Lue Parks (6 years old), V. W. Irish, Frank Kent, Ralph Archer, R. C. Olberg, W. N. Gibson, Eldo Ewert, George W. DeLacy, Cindy Fratzke (6 years old), Mrs. C. F. Embree and Mr. and Mrs. Knight.

Rose Gaubert and L. E. Spratling of Danville and Alamo, respectively, were also winners.

ORINDA WINNERS:

Donna Jamison, Helen Jamison, Mrs. Stephen Jensen, Roy Tess, Mrs. E. Hockenbeamer and Mrs. William W. Wilson.

PLEASANT HILL:

Mrs. D. R. Abernathy, R. W. Dorn, Pleasant Hill Garden Study Club, and F. R. Hewitson.

CONCORD:

L. P. Brooks, Robert Obrecht, J. L. Campbell, Mrs. R. W. Moore, L. Klingen and Maxine Bertram.

Complimentary exhibits were provided by D. L. Feathers, Haig Ashuckian and Thurston Skei, all of Lafayette; Barlow Hollingshead, Orinda; Herb Mitchell, Skipper Kent and Ralph Archer, Walnut Creek; Judson Kirby, Pleasant Hill, and Lloyd Smith, Martinez.

Jewish Women Plan Passover Rites

Reservations close Wednesday for a Community Passover sponsored by the League of Jewish Women.

The event will take place April 7, 6:45 p.m., at the Contra Costa Jewish Community Center in Lafayette, Mrs. Macy Spellman, religious chairman, announced today.

Passover, the celebration of spring and freedom, has been observed over 2000 years. The story of the slavery and liberation of the Jews and the subsequent exodus from Egypt is handed down from generation to generation and told year after year through song and prayer and the partaking of symbolic foods.

David Zuckerman, Walnut Creek, president of the Contra Costa Jewish Community Center, will lead the observance of the seder ritual and Mrs. Norman Daneiko will lead the choir.

Mrs. Hy Wiseman, Walnut Creek, is seder chairman. She will be assisted by Mrs. Samuel Sterns, Percy Cohen, David Spellman and Macy Spellman, all of Lafayette; Mrs. Harold Roth and David Zuckerman, Walnut Creek; Mrs. Harry Kasdan, Concord; Mrs. William Weinstock and Manfred Rosengarten, Martinez.

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Anti-aircraft defense of the Bay Area has been strengthened through the cooperation of the East Bay Municipal Utiilty District, according to the Army's commander of anti-aircraft defense for the Bay Area.

In an appearance before the EBMUD Board of Directors, Col. P. H. Wollaston and Col. John A. Graf expressed the Army's thanks for EBMUD assistance in securing land for the setting up of anti-aircraft defense installations in the East Bay.

Lt. General Willard G. Wyman, Sixth Army commanding general, previously had thanked the Utility District in a letter addressed to Louis J. Breuner, president of the district's board of directors.

Student Concert Will Be Given Next Thursday

A spring concert, free to the public, will be given at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the Orinda School auditorium.

About 170 Orinda School students, members of the advanced orchestra, the boys' chorus and the girls' chorus, will combine in the musical program.

Directing the orchestra will be Gerald Meeder, district instrumental music teacher. Miss Sara Sabelman, district music coordinator, will direct th choruses.

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SECOND SECTION

ORINDA SUN

Friday, March 25, 1955

Social and Clubs

ORINDA CHILDREN'S ART CENTER sponsors and guests will attend a lecture and luncheon at Orinda Country Club Tuesday. Meanwhile, at a Saturday morning session at Glorietta School, Tom Eggertsen gives Mrs. Spencer Archer a demonstration of accomplishment at the Children's Art Center. —SUN photo by Mattson

W.B. Freemans To Attend Son's Wedding Tonight

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Freeman of 3905 Happy Valley Road, Lafayette, left Tuesday morning for Corona, Calif., where their son, Marshall, will be wed tonight to Margaret Stanley.

Miss Stanley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Stanley of Corona.

Marshall and his bride-elect met at Stanford University as students.

Miss Stanley is a junior and is active in dramatics on the campus. Marshall was graduated just before Christmas vacation.

An Acalanes High School graduate of 1950, Marshall was in the Air Force Reserve Officers program at the university.

Marshall's parents are both active as local area school trustees. His father is a member of the Acalanes High School District Board and his mother is on the Lafayette School Board.

Joan Kroeger To Be Wed On April 2

Miss Joan Claire Kroeger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kroeger of Pleasant Hill Road, Lafayette, will become the bride of Lloyd Hall Selby of Orinda, Saturday, April 2.

The wedding will take place in the Orinda Community Church at 4 p.m., with the pastor, the Rev. Fred Morrow, officiating.

THE FUTURE BENEDICT is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Selby of Camino Don Miguel, Orinda. His sister, Betsy, a freshman student at Stephens College, Columbia, Mo., is expected to arrive on the day of the wedding.

Matron of honor will be Mrs. Richard Karshner (Joanne Kroeger), the bride-elect's sister, of Salt Lake City.

Bridesmaids will be Mrs. James Brown and Miss Nancy Carroll, both of Walnut Creek, and Mrs. Jack Lundburg of Lafayette.

LOUIS VILLIERME will be best man. Ushers will include Philip Chapman and George Guada of Orinda and George Kappas of Walnut Creek.

The future benedict expects to enter Hastings School of Law in San Francisco next fall. He is at present a student at Contra Costa Junior College.

ALAMO ADDENDA

By Gwen Viada, VE 7-4142

TRIP TO THE SNOW

The Jim Dietrich's of Bolla Avenue recently spent nine days at Squaw Valley enjoying the snow. They stayed at the lodge there and spent their time skiing.

The weather was nice except for one day that they had a blizzard, which they said was very exciting. They were accompanied by the Bill DeJungs of Belvedere.

BIRTHDAY FOR MARY DAVIS

March 13 Mary Davis of Litina Drive celebrated her ninth birthday. Sunday afternoon she had a party at which the following were present: Cathy Kelly, Cathy Lindsey, Cathy Nelson, Karen Nelson, Jill Sparrowk, Mary Overcast, Ruth Steadham, Ann Coffee, Susan Lehre, Lynn Muzzini, Marlyn Bertrand, and Jeri and Down Davis.

Dawn helped her mother serve ice cream and cake. They enjoyed games and tape recorde dthe children's voices.

MOVING

The William Coffee family of Litina Drive are taking up new residence in the former Leslie home on the Danville Highway which they recently purchased. They hope to be settled soon.

GUESTS FOR LUNCH

Sally Nunn of El Pintado Road recently entertained ladies from Vallejo for lunch. The Nunn's moved here a short time ago from Vallejo.

STUDY GROUPS HELD

There are two study groups being held here. They are studying the "Characteristics of Good Elementary Schools." The project is being sponsored by the California Elementary School Administration Association. This study has been going for the past 2½ years by professional educators and laymen.

It is hoped to determine what the people of California want in their schools and to make better schools.

DAD'S CLUB TRY-OUTS

The Alamo Dad's Club held tryouts for their annual show recently. The show will be directed by Louise Welty and produced by Dan Welty. Opening night is April 29, second performance April 30. This is an event that is always enjoyed by the community. We get quite a kick out of seeing our friends and neighbors on stage.

SUNNY DAYS

Like everyone else these days we have been taking advantage of the nice weather and working in the yard. We are making our patio larger, and perhaps after we recover from our aching muscles we will be able to sit back and enjoy the fruits of our labor.

BAD COLD

Naomi Williams of Bolla Avenue has been home the past few days nursing a very bad cold. Hope she can shake that old bug and will be out and about again soon.

Seals Net $56,840

Contra Costa's Tuberculosis and Health Association receipts of the last Christmas seal sale totaled $56,840.

Officials said that while the sale topped the 1953 collection of $53,342, it still was 12 per cent under the goal.

Delta Zetas Elect New Officers

Newly elected officers of the Diablo Area Delta Zeta Alumnae are:

Mrs. Hans Beetz, president; Mrs. Stephen Johnson Jr., vice president; Mrs. Horace Firth, recording secretary; Mrs. John Bruner, treasurer, all of Lafayette; Mrs. Charles Tourtelot, corresponding secretary, of Concord, and Mrs. Horton Hill, LAMP editor, of Orinda.

The new officers will be installed at the next meeting April 13 at 8 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Earl Cunha, 3063 Diablo View Road, Lafayette.

The election was held recently at the home of Alberta Firth in Lafayette.

Serving on the nominating committee were Mrs. Juel Lien, past president, of Concord; Mrs. Fred Kelleway, national treasurer of Delta Zeta, of Walnut Creek, and Mrs. James Turre, retiring president of the local alumnae, of Lafayette.

Welcomed as new members at the last meeting were Mrs. Karl Heuer of Lafayette and Mrs. J. A. Flower of Walnut Creek, both former affiliates of the Seattle alumnae and recent arrivals to the local area.

Retiring officers are Mrs. James Turre, president; Mrs. John Hicks, vice president; Mrs. Hans Beetz, recording secretary; Mrs. Earl Cunha, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Stephen Johnson Jr., treasurer, and Mrs. Gilbert Bruce, LAMP editor.

Officers Honored By Silver Chalice Chapter of OES

Silver Chalice Chapter OES 590 will honor its officers with an annual Star Point and Warders Party tonight at 8 at the Walnut Creek Masonic Temple.

Members are looking forward to an evening of honoring these officers and their guests. Theme is Nursery Rhymes. Chairman will be Lee Kiriluk, assisted by Isabelle Bates, Florence Henderson, Sue Gabbert, Edith Bergh, Ann Parker, Polly Tyacke, Victoria Jacobini, Sue Rhodes, Cecelia Foubart.

Silver Chalice Circle, the fund raising circle of the Silver Chalice Chapter, will meet at 8 p.m. April 4 at the home of Virginia Hunt, 1966 Lucille Lane, Pleasant Hill A card party to be held June 3 at Diablo Vista School will be discussed.

Thelma Bose is chairman for the event. Cards and refreshments will follow the meeting.

'Spring Vacation' Theme of Dance

"Spring Vacation" will be the dominating theme at the dinner dance of the Orinda Junior Woman's Club the evening of April 9.

Montclair Woman's Clubhouse, which has been reserved for the event, will be transformed into a "spring vacation," with European touches added by travel posters, an Italian dinner and original entertainment.

IN CHARGE OF THE evening is Mrs. Thomas Howard, and in charge of the entertainment is Mrs. Walter Estes. Cocktails will be served at 7, dinner at 8:30, followed by the variety show and dancing.

Volunteers for the variety show are Mesdames Paul Gregg, Beau Guinther, William Leonard, Howard J. Libby, Elliott Rose, E. F. Wilford, Don Woodcock, Edward Winthers and Don A. Anderson.

Juniors working on the Orinda Fiesta, to be held May 14-15, are Mrs. Clint Scarich, chairman of the ticket sales; Mrs. Howard J. Libby, treasurer, and Mrs. John Madison, telephone committee.

MESDAMES BEAU GUINTHER, Paul Gregg, Thomas Howard, Walter Amman, John Everett, James Dupuis, Howard B. Hoyt, Ross Mainwaring, Edward Winthers, Tom Curtis and Anthony Yriberri, are all on ticket distribution for the queen candidate committee.

Mrs. Vernon Louis, president of the Juniors, has announced the guest speaker for next Monday evening will be Mrs. Clifford Baughman of Richmond, literary chairman of the California Federation of Women's Clubs. She will give a book review.

AAUW Are Guests At Dramatic Tea

Wednesday, members and friends of the Walnut Creek Branch of the American Association of University Women supported their Fellowship Fund by attendance at a Dramatic Reading Tea. Margaret Woodall, Bay Area theater personality, presented a reading of a current popular play at the Walnut Creek Women's Club at 1:30 p.m.

Miss Woodall, associated with the theater since childhood, received her early training from her father who was an actor and director. She gained experience at the University of Washington, the Globe Theater in Seattle, touring stock companies, and the NBC and Mutual Networks.

Tickets were on sale under the direction of Mrs. Robert Brown and Mrs. R. L. Grunder, and seating arrangements were under the supervision of Mrs. C. M. Allen. Table decorations were in the hands of Mrs. Richard F. Post and Mrs. R. C. Allen.

Mrs. John Strong, chairman of the Fellowship Committee, said proceeds go towards providing a fellowship for a qualifying foreign graduate or post-graduate student in accordance with policy set down by National AAUW.

Fellowship recipients are chosen from a field of applicants in countries belonging to the International Federation of University Women. Last year's gift of $500 from the Walnut Creek Branch went to Miss Patricia Lee of Australia, now studying at the University of California.

PH Women Hold Benefit Dance Tomorrow Night

The Pleasant Hill Junior Woman's Club will hold a dance tomorrow night at Holy Ghost Association Hall in Saranap.

Theme is a Spring Cotton Ball. It is an informal dance with cottons and sport clothes in order for the evening. In charge of decorations is Mrs. Paul Matthews, assisted by Mesdames Robert Mosier, Robert Hendrickson, Lloyd King, James Thompson, Kenneth Stevenson, Douglas Spencer, Harold Smith, Marian DeWeerd, Daniel Simpson, Thomas Graves, Thomas Hasper, Norman Malone, Baxter, Kimbrough, David Allen, Frederick Sanders, Timothy Lynch and Jack Corder.

Ways and means chairman is Mrs. John Taylor and her assistant is Mrs. William Wright.

Proceeds will go towards the purchase of hospital equipment for the club's Loan Closet.

Mrs. Glass Appointed New Nursery Director

Mrs. Jack Glass of 31 Midvale Court, Walnut Creek, will take over the director duties of the Cooperative Day Nursery School, sponsored by the Saint Paul's Episcopal Church. She will relieve Mrs. Willian Spencer, who has taken a leave of absence.

Mrs. Glass is a trained social worker, receiving a social service certificate from the University of California in 1936. She has had experience working with cooperatives in San Francisco and also in Contra Costa Junior College.

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Las Lomas Ledger

By ANNE HOWARD

BUSY WEEK

Hi! The campus week's been filled with spring activities, lotsa social plans, and blossoming cottons.

The Soph Shindig, "Coral Capers" held March 18 in the gym was the talk of this week. Seen enjoying the underwater-land of sea creatures, looping fishnet and mermaids created by the Sophs were Ed Kinney and George Brum, Ken Stevens and Sharon Kracke, Derryl DeGuire and Ted Zeller, Parker Dinwiddie and Lori Holmes, ancy Hawthorne and John France, Tim Cashin and Linda Nelle, Brad Gaston and Pat Laverty, Barb Soares and Art Deleray, Rick Kraemer and Pat McSorley, Barb Laverty and Bob Smith, Bob Deleray and Verna Abbie, Arn Lahde and Betty Johnson, Arney Lundquist and Dar Razano, Doug Potter and Pat Finn.

APRIL FOOL

"April Fool!" That's the date set for the specially slendiferous Senior Extra(no foolin! The Seniors are planning a night of nights to swell the treasury for the Senior Ball. Circle the date, grab your favorite gal, and COME!

FUNNY BOOK

Cartoon characters will be swarming all over the campus next Friday. The day to top them all — Senior Costume Day — with a theme from the funny papers, is scheduled then. Have fun Seniors!

Congratulations to Gene Kupper! Junior Gene's home designs won both first and third places in his ctegory at Oakland's annual Home Show. The future architect received a $100 bond as top prize.

NEW GROUP

Las Lomas has another new organization, name at present: Girls Service Society. Club members are chosen for extra-special contribution to school activities, scholarship and citizenship. They'll be working to improve LL. GSS officers chosen are prexy Jerrie Kennerly, veep Maja Anderson, and secretary Jackie Laverty. Good luck!

CHOSEN ONE

Flash! Junior Bonnie Clark has been chosen LL's American Field Service summer program representative. This means Bonnie spends weeks and weeks of her summer in far away places absorbing the knowledge, culture and fun of another land. Congratulations and Bon Voyage!!

Spring, tra-la, arrived in a burst of sunshine and away goes wool! The campus is sporting bright cottons on every gal, big swishy skirts, layers of ruffled petticoats and lotsa crisp spring blouses.

CIRCLE the Senior Extra Date! and watch for more news.

Soroptimists Hear Review of By-Laws

By-laws were reviewed at a recent meeting of Walnut Creek Soroptimist Club by Chairman Lily Lahti for the benefit of new members.

Recently initiated are Ethel Salter, Marguerite Cromwell, Juanita Benoit and Ruth Pellet.

Mrs. Klose closes door on work

Mrs. Wanda Klose, Oakland

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ADRIENNE ANN EGGERT, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Eggert of 793 Solana Drive, Lafayette, and William Thomas Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Turner of 800 Solana Drive, Lafayette, are engaged. They plan to be married in September. —Hal Matson photo

OES Honors Its Leaders

A Matron's and Patron's Party honoring Worthy Matron Elizabeth Barney and Worthy Patron Homer Briner was given by members of Almona Chapter 214, O.E.S., in the Walnut Creek Masonic Temple Saturday evening.

"1955" worthy matrons and patrons of the East Bay Associations were specially invited guests.

Past Matron Peggy ordlund was chairman and Harriett Trumbull and Edna Briner hostesses. Margaret Hinds, associate matron, presented a program consisisting of three numbers by a string quartet under the direction of Oscar Bush and vocal numbers by Betty Fulghum accompanied at the piano by Joyce French. Betty also sang during the presentation skit, given by the 1955 officers.

Hazel McCarthy was chairman of the refreshment committee, assisted by Freida Reichhold, Kari Bolstad, Geneva Hook, and Edna De Martini. Banquet tables were beautifully decorated with daffodils and jonquils, with a viola plant at each individual place.

Decorations were by Edith Good. Jo Marshall, Alta Rosel, Dale Ellsworth, Bertha Ryan, Wonita Hatton, Ethel Turner, Donna Young, Senia Jarvey and Gertrude Werner.

Jewish Center Attracts Crowd For Style Tour

"Glamour in the Golden State," a fashion show sponsored by the League of Jewish Women, was held March 1 at the Contra Costa Jewish Community Center, Lafayette.

The show, in the form of a "style tour" of California resorts, attracted a large gathering.

Proceeds will go toward conversion of the lower floor of the center to an all-purpose room and Sunday School classrooms.

Mrs. Arthur Scharlach of Walnut Creek was general chairman. Fashions were by Joseph Magnin's and commentary by Mrs. Plin Flippen.

Models were:

Mesdames Victor Graber, Fred Katzburg, Samuel Hauer, Samuel Goldeen, Harold Roth, David Dolgin, David Highiet, Mervin Silberman, Donald Sterns, Nathan Pinkus, Joseph Katzburg and Doris Leiber.

Cake Sale Set By Fantasians

A cake sale will be held tomorrow by the newly-organized Fantasians, a group of Acalanes High School girls affiilated with the Children's Home Society.

The sale will be under the supervision of Mrs. Charles Biesel, at the Orinda Hardware Store at the Crossroads, starting at 10 a.m.

Plans for Annual Festival Underway

At a recent meeting at the home of Mrs. Kermit Lincoln, Lafayette, plans were formulated for the 10th Annual Festival of Flowers and Fashions, to be held Tuesday, May 3, at the Howard gardens in Walnut Creek.

This fashion show and tea is a yearly event by members of Walnut Branch of the Children's Hospital of the East Bay, for the benefit of children from Contra Costa County needing care at the Children's Hospital.

Mrs. Sanford Terry is the general chairman for this event, and she is being assisted by the following committee members:

Mrs. Ernest Rowland and Mrs. James McGeehon, fashions; Mrs. Gorrill Butler and Mrs. Leslie Doddington, program; Mrs. Kermit Lincoln, food; Mrs. Robert Haumeder and Mrs. Donald Kientz, properties; Mrs. Herbert Merrick, tickets; Mrs. D. Charles Williams, finance; Mrs. Mel Nielsen and Mrs. William F. Anderson, door-prizes; Mrs. Bruce Lee, reservations; Mrs. Robert Bruen, publicity; Mrs. Alex Lindsay and Mrs. Standish Massie, decorations.

Also helping with the arrangements are Mesdames Gustav Spilker, Fred Allasia, Phillip Schidermayer, Carl Helmholz, Ralph Hanna and Alden Mackay.

Freshman Cotillion Sees Surprise Fashion Show

The Freshman Cotillion dance party Saturday night at I.D.E.S. Hall in Walnut Creek was highlighted by a surprise fashion show.

The Cotillion is a group of local high school freshmen from Acalanes, Las Lomas, Danville Union and Pleasant Hill.

They have dancing parties combined with dance instruction the third Saturday of each month. Mrs. John Grobe of Lafayette is in charge of the dance parties for the Catillion as well as for grammar school groups in the area.

The fashion show Saturday night was presented by Fiesta Fashions of Lafayette.

Models were freshmen Judy Henderson, Sabra Worswick, Pat Siefker, Karen Lien, Sue Murray, Carol Hayes, Christine Romine, Pam Phillips and Barbara Hull, all from Acalanes High School, and Cynthia Perry of Pleasant Hill High.

About 120 young dancers enjoyed themselves. According to Mrs. Grobe, who gives dance instruction, the male members of the Cotillion, many of whom had never seen a style show before, were "absolute gentlemen."

The party was from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m. Sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Ipson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perry, all from Pleasant Hill.

Folk Dancers Fete Spring

Acalanes Folk Dancers met at Danville Veterans Memorial Hall for their regular monthly party Saturday night, March 12.

Daffodils and other spring blossoms were used to carry out the "Spring Fever" theme.

Members and their guests enjoyed a program of folk and square dances. Squares were called by Glenn and Reva Ward of El Cerrito and Frank Enearl of Walnut Creek.

Those in charge of the party were Bill and Sue Miller, Pleasant Hill, Stan and Winnie McGlaufin, Walnut Creek, and Bennett and Reva Tow of Danville.

President Marge Underwood of Lafayette conducted a short business meeting after refreshments.

The club's next regular party will be April 2 instead of the usual second Saturday on the month. A special costume party is slated for April 9, theme to be Carioca Carnival.

McClintocks Back From Canada Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McClintock of 178 Mazie Drive, Gregory Gardens, and their 3½-year-old son, Jeffrey, returned last week from a one-week visit with McClintock's brother and his family in Victoria, British Columbia.

The two families had not seen each other since eight years ago in Ireland. After that, Jim McClintock and his wife came to the United States. In 1953 Jim's brother, John, and his family left Ireland for Canada.

The John McClintocks have two children — George, 11, and Margaret, 1.

WC Gyro's Balance Friendship and Food

The Walnut Creek Area Gyro Club is one of six in California, whose only purpose is the pleasant objective of a hearty dinner on first Thursdays monthly spiced with liberal amounts of friendship.

The present convivial 30 members include Buck Johnson, president; Terence Ring, vice-president; Vance Perry, treasurer and secretar, and membership chairman Jules Lindsey.

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Highlights from Walnut Heights

By BETTY CAMERON, YE 5-5273

EGGS ARE BACK

There will be plenty of eggs for Easter coloring. I have said goodbye to the Mayo diet and 10 pounds (some people lose 20, I hear, but that is other people), and I can sit around and cackle about my accomplishment. Until I gain them back.

CLASS DINNER

The final meeting of Dick Nesbitt's adult evening class in public speaking took place at the Orinda Willows last week. The students, most of whom are professional people, and their wives enjoyed a fine dinner and took more than usual pleasure in the after dinner speeches.

Each member had an opportunity to introduce another as a speaker, and according to teacher there should be lots of A's on the report cards. Dick, who lives on Rosewood Drive and works days in Employee Training at Treasure Island, expects to instruct another evening class in public speaking at Acalanes this fall.

MORE ROOM PLEASE

The Bill Nodders of Strand Road would be good prospects for anyone in the expandable house business. Last week Gladys entertained for daughter Jane and some of her classmates from Cal and the living room bulged with 22 sparkling guests. The girls were Jane's sorority sisters (Alpha Omicron Pi) and most of their escorts were members of Phi Kappa Sigma.

AND STILL MORE

In an expansive mood, Gladys offered the use of her home for a sewing bee for the sorority Mothers' Club. Must be everyone wants to see spring in Walnut Creek—30 mothers and three extra sewing machines were signed up.

What with cleaning every corner of the house for possible use, it seems unlikely that Gladys had strength to hold a needle.

Cloths for the sorority house bridge tables are the current work project, under the direction of Club President Mrs. R. E. Waterlow of Berkeley.

NEW NEIGHBORS

Newcomers to San Miguel Drive are Al Kay and his sons, Keith, 12, and Kent, 8. They have just returned from a stay of several months in Japan, where Al was managing editor of Stars and Stripes. He is now associated with the Oakland Tribune.

The boys have lots of souvenirs of their sojourn abroad. Keith's collection of matchboxes, gathered at stopping places between here and the Orient, is most interesting, and they have several fascinating Oriental masks, knives and banners.

We hope the Kays will be as happy in our community as we are to have them here.

WOW!

These old eyes beheld a strange and wonderful ritual the other evening. It was a dance called BOP. I know I'm way behind the times in not catching up with this until now, but I must have lots of company. Of all unlikely spots, the dance took place in the Las Lomas High School Gym, where the Girls Physical Ed. Department presented its third annual demonstration for the parents club, Las Lomas Amigos. The boys in the freshman social dancing class pitched in and I do mean pitched, for the demonstration of current popular dancing, while the girls alone put on an elaborate program of tumbling, team and individual sports, and modern, folk and square dancing.

It was all extremely well done and much credit is due Roberta Bristol and Margaret Iden, the physical education teachers, and their large corps of assistants. Bob Karlsrud and Sheila Johnson did a capable job of narration.

But this dancing really impressed me. Jitterbugging I had seen before, though not quite like this. These kids must have callouses on their knees—or do they not quite hit the ground? From the dim recesses of the past I can recall things like the Shag and the Big Apple, but this BOP is almost unbelievable and completely indescribable. I recommend it for a Time Capsule!

PTA MEETING CHANGE

Since the regular date for the Walnut Heights PTA meeting falls during Easter vacation, the April meeting will be held instead this Thursday. An interesting program is promised featuring a panel discussion on "Busy Children Are Happy Children."

Alex Lindsay, a member of the school board, will serve as program moderator. Members of the panel will be Mrs. Helen Butler Snyder, who has done artisic work with driftwood, Prof. Ferdinand Ruth from the CCJC Department of Natural History; Ed Ross, a former president of the Gem and Mineral Society, and Mrs. Ruth Wallis, who is well known to all of us as the competent head of the Walnut Creek Recreation Department.

So mark the date on your calendar and plan to attend. Lots of helpful ideas may reward you!

SPRING SING

Mrs. Mary Mcaughton of Nob Hill Drive will sing at the Music Teachers Benevolent Tea April 17 at the home of Mrs. A. C. Eastman on Panoramic Way, Ray Hammons, tenor, a former Walnut Creek resident now living in Berkeley, will also be on the program.

Mrs. McNaughton, who has a lovely soprano voice, is now a member of the San Francisco Opera chorus as well as a newly formed operatic group on this side of the Bay. The latter group is working on an English version of "La Boheme," which should make its poignant story as meaningful as the beautiful music. I'll have news later of its performance schedule.

ANNUAL RECITAL

Last weekend was extra busy for Mrs. Erna Soder of San Miguel Drive, popular teacher of piano. Performers for her only recital for parents this year were so numerous they had to be separated into two groups, one for Saturday afternoon and one for Sunday.

The Saturday group included Harriet and Wendy Webb, Marilyn and Michael Ream, Carolyn Davis, Carle Rechert, Steven Monlux, Christine Dawson, Joane and Janice Nummi, Gary Bell, Dolores Fitz-Water, Jeanne Stikkers, Sheila Johnson, Charles Sexton and Billy Small.

On Sunday proud parents heard the performances of Billy Hartung, Betty Dodge, Christine Soder, Carol Longshore, Laurie Vann, Patsy McFeeley, Susan and Louise Hatton, Kathy Strong, Mary Pat and Michele Mohr, Arthur Hinton, Lennie Aho, Randy Evans, Kathy McKee, Harriet James and Norman Farquhar. There were 10 two-piano teams featured at the recitals. Refreshments were served on both occasions.

BIRTHDAY DINNER FOLLOWS

Luckily it doesn't require too much energy to be the honored guest at a family party or Mrs. Soder might have had to bow out of this one. But despite the strenuous weekend, she thoroughly enjoyed the birthday dinner her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Soder, had fo rher Sunday evening at their new home on Bell Avenue.

JEWELRY CLASSES

Response to the enamel on copper demonstration at Newell Avenue's Adobe Shop was so enthusiastic that the planned class had to be made into two groups. They meet Tuesday and Wednesday evenings from 7 to 9. Insructress June Drisko says she will be glad to form daytime classes if there is enough demand. You take it from there.

THREE TIME PRIZE winner, two years consecutively, for his outstanding architectural designs, is Gene Kupper, 15, Las Lomas High School Junior, seated at his rewarding drawing board at home, Arbutus Drive, Walnut Creek. SUN Photo by Mattson.

Modest Young Man Takes Top Architectural Awards

By BETTY CAMERON

First prize — $100; third prize—$35. Both these awards went to Gene Kupper, Las Lomas High School junior, for his outstanding entries in the Second Annual Northern California Home Design Competition, held in Oakland March 12 to 20 by the Associated Home Builders of the Greater Eastbay.

Not yet 16, Gene competed successfully with high school students from all of Northern California in this contest which is intended to "encourage competent designing and creative talent and ingenuity in the creation of small home designs and models . . . consistent with good taste and utility suitable for acceptance by families of Northern California . . . ."

That's a mouthful from the contest brochure, but it sums up Gene's achievement. Last year he won another $100 first prize in the same competition, so next year it won't be surprising if he walks off with all three top honors! No names appear on the entries during the judging, of course, so there's no question that awards are on the basis of merit alone.

Last week I went to the Kupper home on Arbutus Drive, where Gene lives with his parents and a younger sister and brother, and talked with this personable and unusually self-possessed young man about the contest, his present interests and projects and his future. An oil painting on an easel in the corner of his room was evidence of his talent in this field, but the stacks of architectural magazines gave the key to his major interest.

Gene's liking for architecture first showed itself during grammar school days in Lafayette, where any spare classroom moments were devoted to sketching houses. Born in Oakland, April 2, 1939, Gene attended school there through the fourth grade. Then the family made the move "through the tunnel" to Lafayette, and Walnut Creek has been his home since 1952.

Though he has taken all available school courses in his chosen field, his knowledge has been tremendously increased by his own independent study. Two professional magazines, "Arts and Architecture" and "House and Home" have served as textbooks. The extent of his skill is indicated by his having already turned out professional work in the form of plans for a two-bedroom modern home, "The Suburban," for Firestone Homes and several room additions for the Wright Company in Lafayette.

Mrs. D. R. Greene, a neighbor of the Kuppers, used Gene's plans for a rumpus room and a deck which she has had built onto her house.

Plans for the future? "Study at Cal, probably," said Gene, "and possibly advanced study if I can afford it. But you have to serve a three-year apprenticeship in architecture, so I may just get started on that after college."

Modern residential design is his current interest "because it's easiest. If you try to take it all in one big stride, you're likely to fall fiat on your face. I wouldn't say designing a high school is any small job—which is what I'm doing now, but I don't take it too seriously."

Despite his preoccupation with architecture, Gene finds time for typical high school activities. He has no steady girl but he enjoys dates and dancing. Last year he was head cheer leader at Las Lomas. Music rates high with him, both classical and "real true jazz—the primitive type."

Talking to Gene was a real pleasure. He was poised and fluent, and while he is justifiably proud of his achievements, his manner is modest and his sense of humor is evident.

"Designed by Gene Kupper" are words which some day will undoubtedly be affixed to plans for some really outstanding homes. Walnut Creek may well be proud to number this young man among its residents.

Shop at home and save!

LINES FROM LAKEWOOD

By ARLENE DU BOISE — YE 4-0771

NEIGHBORLY NEWS

Extend birthday greetings to Clifford Phipps of West Holly Drive and ditto "yours truly." A joint birthday celebration was held at the Du Bois Sunday evening for dinner. Those who attended were Marge and Cliff Phipps, Mrs. Phipps Sr., the Du Bois and offspring Robbie.

A real sad move is being made on West Holly Drive as the George Blackmoors are selling the shack to move to larger quarters. This would all be fine, but they are also moving out of the Lakewood area. We will all be sorry to see George and Jean leave with their brood of five.

LAST TO GO

The Fred Doss' have sold their lot on West Holly Drive, the last "clump" of walnuts in this area that can be used for building.

The Elmer E. Brooks of Hacienda Drive left Tuesday for Death Valley for a week's vacation.

The Robert Olcotts of Homestead Avenue motored to Carmel last week for a few days. Their son John has been in San Diego for a two weeks training stint at the Naval Base.

TEA AND BAZAAR

Mrs. John Raley an active member of the Lakewood Therapy group, members also with this Towhee Unit are Nancy Keane and Stephanie Gallaher. The unit had its monthly meeting to discuss the future tea and bazaar which is held in December at the Diablo Country Club. The purpose of this event is to raise funds for the Diablo Therapy Center.

The John Raleys are also entertaining Mrs. Raley's parents. They motored down the Peninsula last weekend and toured through the Stanford campus at Palo Alto.

SCOUTING NEWS

Boy Scout Troop 227 held a council meeting of co-leaders at the home of Ed Railton on West Holly Drive. This is known as a "green bar" meeting to plan the next month's activities. Attending were Scoutmaster Ed Truxell, Ed Railton, Pete Orish, Ray Hammond and Royal Treat; the boys of the troop were all presented and Carol Barnes conducted the meeting.

The Lakewood troop is also looking forward to a Father and Son barbecue this coming Saturday, March 26.

All Walnut Heights school members are working away on the forthcoming Maydaze. If you have any rummage, books or can bake a cake, please contact the school office and the right channel will be directed where you can make your contribution.

LAST MINUTE LINES

The Bert Hotchkiss' houseguests, the Willis Prouts of Long Beach left last week to return home. The Prouts are the parents of Mrs. Hotchkiss of Homestead Avenue.

Just a reminder to all to buy Easter Seals.

The John Clarks of Homestead Avenue will entertain their bridge foursome and potluck supper gang tomorrow night. Members are the George Blackmoors, the John Raleys, the Frank Crowleys and the John Clarks.

A little bird has also whispered it is Jeannie Clark's birthday too, so many happy returns Mrs. Clark.

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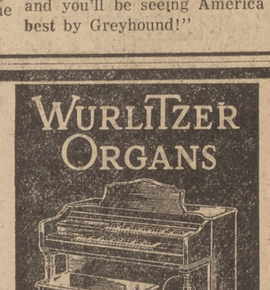

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About our happy Country Folks

By ALYSONE DeLAVEAGA
(Guest Columnist)

This Orinda Fiesta is really reaching colossal proportions! There are an awful lot of extra special Orindans who are giving many hours of their already too busy time to make May 14-15 two wonderful days for us.

We think the whole idea is a good one. We've been giving and giving to March of Dimes, Red Cross, political dinners and such and here's a chance to spend some money on ourselves and have fun doing it . . . insuring a more beautiful and well planned Orinda and in the long run enhancing our own property.

Introducing . . . some of the many hard workers

Joe Creighton handles the general managership with his usual skill, assisted by Fiesta Secretary Laura Cooper, and among the many others, Stan Allen, Rudy Rasmussen (of Orinda Round-Up fame) George Eberhart, Ernie Poll, Bill Fleager, George Hauer, Lila Axelson, Frank Shirey, Maynard Buehler, Miles Sutliffe, Doris Fernsten, Paul Pollaczek and Bart McMahon.

The headquarters for all this is that old Frederickson and Watson construction office that the Fiesta Committee has borrowed, moved to the lot across from the bank and affectionately labeled "The Hut."

You've seen it change from a ramshackle shack to its present state with many work parties going on. Paint donated by Stan Allen, painting by Doris Clifford, Jackie Meurk, George Clifford and on and on; Frank Olsen puttied in the windows, Carl Meurk fixed that fancy door; Maynard Buehler loaned the canvas awnings and was a good carpenter, also Ramsay Underwood was seen hammering away on top of two-by-fours; Paul Vashell came through with the wiring; the Orinda Garden Club is taking over the landscaping under Shirley Crawshaw, George Eberhart gave a desk, chair, file and typewriter; Frank Shirey donated a heater and the list goes on and on.

It's really a community effort, so save the days on your calendar and tell your little ones to save their allowance for the super fun zone and other goodies .Laura Cooper will be in the Hut to answer all questions, hand out tickets for that Thunderbird and make plans for your booths.

Angels did the job with rave notices

Speaking of community affairs the Orinda Dramateurs' latest production "My Three Angels" was wonderful. They played four nights at Berkeley Little Theater and some of the original Dramateurs of over 10 years ago sat in back of us and raved over the setting, the acting and how far this group had gone.

Orindans Patricia Winkworth and Paul Pollaczek were outstanding. Pat's dad was up from Rancho Santa Fe on the double purpose to see the performance and to see his grandchildren.

Paul got hundreds of laughs with his first role portrayal of Joseph, a Devil's Island prisoner. And working hard in the background were Carl Rasmussen, Bruce Winkworth, Kathy Scott, Connie Sterne, Peg Wright, Helen and Charles Gibbs, Jane Martin, Jane Steele, Norma and Bee Betz, Wirtabel Harris, Jasper Allara, Jewel Scheeline, Wally Elliott and others.

Seen in the audience were old timers Frank and Jeanette Work and their two girls, Lucille and Wendall Spackman, the Andy Blalocks, and more.

Koffee Klatch brought newcomers together

A few Saturdays ago the Monte Vista Improvement Club (that's the Charles Hill area) gave one tremendous Koffee Klatch as a grand get-acquainted move for all the newcomers to their area.

All planned by Ann Nightengale, Betty Boslaw, Marjorie Cook and Allie Rasmussen . . . held at the latter's lovely home in the morning with more than two score dropping in.

Can't begin to name all the newcomers (and just how new is new?) but a hearty welcome to Mrs. Harold Havre Jr., Mrs. Paul Hamilton, Mrs. Dick Dildine, Mrs. Robert Walpole, Mrs. Holmes Wheeler, Mrs. Adolph Siegel, Mrs. Elbert Vail, Mrs. Jackie Clark and Mrs. John Simpson. It was a wonderful idea and the officers hope to make it a semi-annual affair.

We've heard of lots of fancy eye-catching and attention-getting speech titles but the best one in a long times goes like this; "Splashing Paint Through Europe" . . doesn't that sound interesting?

Anyway, Ralph Cornell Siegle of the College of Arts and Crafts will tell the loyal sponsors and the guests of the Orinda Children's Art Center just how he splashes around the Continent (with paint) at their annual luncheon on the 29th at the Orinda Country Club. Mrs. Ted Harrer is president of the group; Mrs. William C. Hagens, program chairman, assisted by Mrs. Charles Gibbs and Mrs. W. F. Funk.

And away they go, to all the compass points

Fellow travelers (not pink) . . . Mr. and Mrs. Paul Demeter off for three weeks for Albuquerque, N.M. . . . they are giving a 50th wedding anniversary party for Paul's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Demeter. Mrs. Demeter Sr. will be cutting the cake with the same knife as 50 years ago.

General and Mrs. O. L. Spiller are up from Santa Barbara to see daughter Katie Watson, son-in-law Jack and most important grandson, John. Herb and Evelyn Goranson leave this weekend for days in Palm Springs and Las Vegas.

Some people are still off skiing . . . Ford Tussings at Badger Pass, Jack Eymans at Sugar Bowl last week, and the Eugene Harters with daughter Nancy up to Mt. Rose this week.

Heard of six locals shipping and flying off to Honolulu . . . the Thomas McGuires, Nancy and Willard Miller (off on Lurline with a very fine bon voyage party) and Bobbie and Lawton Shurtliff . . . The Ed Pikes hold some sort of record in that they got to see all the above off on their trips . . . someone told Janice Pike that they don't give bon voyage parties for those going away but for the poor souls that have to stay home and she agrees!

All packed and ready to head for Europe

Steve and Jasmine practically packed for their sojourn on the new Scandinavian Airlines northward to Sweden and other countries. Joe and Janet Golden of Lafayette making final plans now for their early summer trip abroad. They'll take their three, Ann, Michael and Katie, east to Janet's sister and then sail off with Janet's father for Europe renting a car there for easier country hopping.

Spring is here and for those of us who do stay home let's be glad we have as nice a place as we do. Back to Edie Bolman next week.

World Friends

Brownies of troop 261—Jessica Burns, Sharon Gates, Sarah Hanlin, Judith Kronke, Fran McIntyre, Sheldon Lawrence, Marcia Montgomery, Nancy Peacock, Sage and Stacy Sigerson — have been busy learning International Friendship, and working for the World Pin, which they received March 9.

Mrs. B. Montgomery, troop leader, presented the pins.

The troop has mailed a sewing package to a Brownie troop in Greece. On February 20, the girls entertained Troop 179 at a special meeting to hear Miss Katie Ladopoulou from Greece an exchange student at the University of California. She spoke about children and the customs of her country. Mothers of the troops also attended the meeting.

The troop also saw mementos from Norway at the home of Co-Leader Mrs. John Lawrence, who served Norwegian cookies she had baked.

Hilltop Branch Plans Benefit Show Wednesday

Mrs. Calvin Hagstrom of Orinda is sewing chairman for Hilltop Branch's eighth annual children's fashion show benefit for the Children's Hospital of the East Bay.

The event, called "Hilltop Style Circus" this year, will be staged Wednesday, starting with a luncheon at 12:30 p.m. at the Berkeley Women's City Club.

Tickets may be obtained by calling Mrs. W. R. Whitener, TH 3-5989.

Library Issues New Book List

Titles of new books received by the Orinda Library were announced recently.

The library, located in the basement of the Orinda Community church, is open Monday through Friday from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. and from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Saturday hours are from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

The new books:

ADULT FICTION

Grau, Shirley Ann: The Black Prince and Other Stories; Nathan, Robert: Sir Henry; Plomer, W.C.F.: Museum Pieces. Thane, E.: Letter To A Stranger. Waer, Jack: 17 and Black. Wylie, Philip: The Best of Crunch and Des.

ADULT NON FICTION

Eastman, Max: Poems of Five Decades; Ewen, David: Home Book of Musical Knowledge; Kimmel, Husband Edward: Admiral Kimmel's Story; Marshall, Charles Burton: The Limits of Foreign Policy; Menninger, William C.: How To Be A Successful Teen-Ager.

JUVENILE BOOKS

Andrews, Roy Chapman: All About Whales; Bulla, Clyde Robert: Down The Mississippi; Johnson, Eleanor Murdock, ed.: Magic Carpet (A Treasury of Literature); Brown, Margaret Wise: Wheel On The Chimney; Hoke, Helen L: Jokes, Jokes, Jokes; Pease, Howard: Jungle River; Stewart, George R.: To California By Covered Wagon.

Save tires, gas, oil and tempers — shop here at home.

Happy Birthday

MATTHEW DICKEY

Matthew Dickey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Dickey of 10 Cascade Road, celebrated his third birthday February 27 with many of his friends.

Guests included Nancy Channell and mother, Mrs. Channell, Robin and Guy Dana and Mrs. Jack Dana, Leslie Madeira and Mrs. Ward Madeira, Bobbie Quist and Mrs. George Quist, Tommy Le Gros and Mrs. John Le Gros, Timmy Howard and Mrs. Thomas Howard, Jean and David Bunce, and of course Matthew's grandmothers, Mrs. Beach Soule and Mrs. Dickey, both of San Francisco.

Besides the cake and ice cream, everyone enjoyed cartoon and animal movies.

MARY HANSEN

Mary Hansen of 11 Hacienda Circle became 9 February 19. Being a beautiful day, luncheon was served to her guests outdoors and games were enjoyed. A red and white cake helped carry out the theme of Washington's Birthday. The cake was topped with tiny parasols. Following lunch Mary took her guests to a matinee. Invited were Sharon Mitchell, Cherie Jackson, Julie Newman, Lavinia Gilbert, Penny Phillips, Carol Kornforth and Elizabeth Hansen.

STEPHEN DUDLEY

Stephen Dudley reached his ninth birthday February 21 but celebrated with the help of his friends on Washington's Birthday the following day. The boys played basketball before enjoying a hearty lunch. At each place was a kite for a favor as well as a packet of candy bars and popcorn for a treat in the matinee where they were taken following their lunch.

Those enjoying the afternoon with Steve were Bobby Blue, Rickey Oltmann, Steve Eldridge, Mike Little, Denny Lucas, Eric Ramsing, Teddy Howard, Scott Huntley and Steve's brother Mark.

LEGAL NOTICE

ORINDA UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT
Orinda, California
NOTICE OF ELECTION
For Members of the Governing Board of the Orinda Union School District.

Notice is hereby given to the Electors of the Orinda Union School District of Contra Costa County, California, that the Annual Election for Members of the Board of Trustees of the Orinda Union School District will be held on the third Friday of May, namely, May 20, 1955.

It will be necessary to elect two Members.

The following is a description of the polling places and a list of the officers of said election:

Precinct One shall include:

All the area embraced in north of Mt. Diablo Blvd. to the northerly, westerly and easterly boundaries of the Orinda Union School District, including that portion of County Precinct Orinda No. 6, lying south of Mt. Diablo Blvd., which embraces Regular County Precincts Alhambra No. 3, El Sobrante No. 4, El Sobrante No. 9, Kensington No. 13, Orinda No. 2, Orinda No. 3, Orinda No. 4, Orinda No. 6, Orinda No. 7, Orinda No. 10, Orinda No. 11, Orinda No. 15, Orinda No. 16, Orinda No. 19.

Polling Place: Orinda Union School.

Officers: Inspector, Janet Jansse; Judge, Princess Farrar; Judge, Hellen Drews.

Precinct Two shall include:

All the area embraced in south of Mt. Diablo Blvd. to the southerly, easterly and westerly boundaries of the Orinda Union School District, excluding that portion of County Precinct Orinda No. 6, lying south of Mt. Diablo Blvd. which embraces Regular County Precincts Moraga No. 1, Moraga No. 2, Canyon, Orinda No. 1, Orinda No. 5, Orinda No. 8, Orinda No. 9, Orinda No. 12, Orinda No. 13, Orinda No. 14, Orinda No. 17, Orinda No. 18.

Polling Place: Glorietta School.

Officers: Inspector, Elizabeth Badgley; Judge, Myrtle Taranto; Judge, Lila Axelson.

The Polls will be open between the hours of 7 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m.

The returns of the election will be canvassed at 6 o'clock p.m. on May 24, 1955.

CATHERINE SCHWARCK
Clerk Orinda Union School District, Board of Trustees

O-501, Orinda Sun, March 18, 25, April 1, 1955.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED, that on Tuesday, April 5, 1955, at the hour of 8:00 P.M. of said day, in the meeting room of the Administration Building, corner of Pine & Escobar Streets, Martinez, Calif., THE PLANNING COMMISSION WILL consider the application of C. M. Teigland for a permit for a proposed subdivision of 18 lots — min. lot size 21.780 sq. ft. & average lot size of 31,410 sq. ft. — Sideyards, 10 ft. & 10 ft. — 20 ft. setbacks as provided under THE ZONING ORDINANCE of the COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA.

The property above referred to is described as follows, to-wit: A descriptive parcel of land of 14.4 acres bounded on the north by Utah Const. Co., on the east by Hall Drive and Tract 2138, on the south and west by lands of Teigland.

J. P. CONNORS,
Chairman of Contra Costa County Planning Commission

O-506, Or. Sun, March 25, 1955.

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FLUFFY ALL Giant 3-lb. pkg. 65¢
RITZ CRACKERS 1-lb. pkg. 31¢
TUNA Carnation fancy light meat chunks, ½ tins 29¢
ICE CREAM Borden's Freeze. Asst. flavors, ½ gal. 55¢
DOG FOOD Old English tall tins 3 for 29¢
PORK & BEANS Drew 2½ tins 2 for 35¢
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The building, a modern two story structure of reinforced concrete, will be designed for the prompt and efficient handling of all types of merchandise.

Containing approximately 230,000 square feet, the building will include such modern features as a 530 foot ramp which will permit trucks to deliver directly to the second floor.

Other features will include modern lighting and ventilation facilities and a mechanical system of processing merchandise by means of belts, roller conveyors and skate wheel conveyors.

Play School Tells About Vacancies

Pied Piper Play Center, a non-profit, cooperative nursery school, announces a few registrations can now be taken for the remainder of the spring term and for the coming summer session.

Information may be obtained from membership chairman Mrs. Jean Brownlie at YEllowstone 5-5700.

Creekers Give City Spotlight

The "Creeekers Club," seventh graders from the Walnut Creek School, donated a much needed spotlight for the front of the Recreation Center inside hall, L. E. Merryfield, USO committee member, installed the fixtures.

The "Creekers" hold their dances each month at the recreation center, sponsored by room mothers and fathers in cooperation with the recreation commission.

Mrs. Harriet Webb is general chairman and Mrs. June Dolgren is co-chairman.

Chamber Greets New WC Members

New members having recently joined with the Walnut Creek Chamber of Commerce include Diablo Service Center, 1314 Main Street; Drapery Lane, 1363 South Main Street; American Legion Post 115; Maple Towne, 21455 Mount Diablo Boulevard and Parker-Robb Chevrolet, 1707 Main Street.

Also welcomed by the Chamber are Pat's Pet and Garden Supply, 1353 Locust Street; Valley Linen Service, 1627 Cypress Street and Veloz and Yolonda on Locust and Cypress.

Short Notes from Sherman Acres

Carolyn Shreve, MU 5-3335

VISITORS

Donnalee and Don Wilson of Ramon Drive are busy these days entertaining Don's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Wilson visiting from Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.

The senior Wilsons are planning an indefinite stay hoping to enjoy some of our famous California sunshine. Weather permitting Don and Donnalee are planning many side trips to show off some of our beautiful countryside.

STORK SHOWER

Mrs. Katherine Castle was the guest of honor at a recent baby shower given at the home of neighbor Mrs. Ellen Ristad of Sherman Drive.

Many games were played including 20 Questions and pin the diaper on the baby with garden gloves. Cohostess was Mrs. Judy Jensen. The evening was brought to a close with the serving of a delicious wine pudding topped with whipped cream.

Guests were Mesdames Danny Cary, Rose Mackin, Vivian Pierce, Valda Hendrickson, Minnie Speilbeller, Betty Jo Hendershot, Nancy Rutledge, and Betty Humphrey. Both Mrs. Castle's mother, Mrs. Alice Holmes, and her mother-in-law, Mrs. Castle, were present.

The senior Mrs. Castle recently arrived from Los Angeles to await the new arrival and help out when Mrs. Castle returns from the hospital.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Stan Schiltz of East Vivian Drive was forced to celebrate his birthday a few days early this year.

Saturday, March 12, the date of his birth, he was busily engaged on maneuvers with the National Guard. So his natal day was celebrated with a quiet family dinner on the Thursday before.

NEIGHBORHOOD PARTY

Gloria Malcolm recently hosted a group of her neighbors at a Tupperware Party. Phyllis Taylor was the demonstrator. After several clever games were played the hostess served a delicious angel food cake topped with strawberries and whipped cream.

Guest list included Alice Schiltz, Marilyn Lutz, Carol Larsen, Ann Acerbis, Margaret Staudt, Violet Nelson, Alice Boulden and Carolyn Shreve.

SURPRISE SHOWER

March 16 Dorothy Smith of Peggy Drive was a recipient of a surprise baby shower in her own home. The shower was given by her sister-in-law Shirley Krause. Mrs. Krause had arranged with the guests to meet at a neighbors house down the street and then everyone arrived at the Smith house together completely surprising Mrs. Smith.

Guests in on the surprise were Lois Williams, Eunice Barry, Nancy Krause, Joyce McCoy, Shirley Jarrat, Isabelle Murphy, Kay Werner, Pat Boomer, Lildy Parson, Lucy Sudderth, Phyllis Ewing, Doris Zoitos, Vivian Woods and Pat Deisenroth.

After playing a few games everyone sat back and watched the opening of the many gifts. To climax a perfect evening a fancy decorated cake, ice cream and coffee were served.

VISITOR FROM IRELAND

Mr. and Mrs. Max Elliott of Janice Drive had as their recent guest Alexander Davidson of Bangor, North Ireland. Mr. Davidson and Mrs. Eliott met last summer when Mrs. Elliott made a trip to her family's home in Ireland. While these she became acquainted with Mr. Davidson and his wife.

Now he has decided to make the United States his home and stopped off for a few days visit with the Elliotts. Davidson plans to make his permanent home somewhere on the Peninsula and is now looking for employment so that he can bring his family to California soon.

LOTS OF GUESTS

Dorothy and "Gracey" Gracey of Celia Drive had a house full of company over the past weekend. For Sunday dinner the Graceys entertained Jean and Buck Brehm from Richmond and Dorothy's parents Mr. and Mrs. William Valentine of Oakland.

Monday evening they had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Dan Warner and their son from Pleasant Hill. Mr. Gracey and Mr. Warner are both employed by the Garrett Trucking Co. It was a pleasant evening of renewing friendships.

DINNER OUT

June and Bor Harman of Anelda Drive decided to have a night out and invited their friends Tom and Carolyn Shreve to share their fun. After cocktails at the Harman home the two couples journeyed to Lafayette to enjoy a Mexican dinner. Remainder of the evening was spent at the Shreve home visiting and playing cards.

Nearly Everyone Reads The SUN

Earl Raynes State Auditor Succumbs

Earl P. Raynes, 34, of Walnut Creek, auditor for the U.S. Department of Agriculture, died suddenly in a service station restroom in Maxwell.

An unmarried World War II veteran, he suffered a heart ailment in 1950 and was bedfast for six months.

Your Garden

Rhododendron Is a Favorite–and Grows In Numerous Forms, Varied Colorings

By THE GARDENER

THE RHODODENDRON is a Northern California favorite.

It blooms with bell-like flowers of several variations in shades of red, pink, white, yellow and blue interspersed amidst the luxuriant evergreen foliage of the shrub.

The rhododendron is a very large family indeed. More than 800 species have been collected and identified—and these are divided and subdivided to get the various member branches of the one large rhododendron family tree.

THE RHODODENDRON grows throughout the world—in Asia, Europe and this country. And it grows in many forms, including 3-foot shrublets and 80-foot giants.

Among the best known species of the rhododendron are the Mouprinense, a dwarf family; the Repens, low-spreading; Williamsianum, with distinguishing green and bronze leaves; Griffithianum, prized for its huge flowers.

Best known name rhododendrons include Pink Pearl (pink), Betty Wormald (pink), Lord Roberts (dark red), Mrs. Lindsay Smith (white speckled with crimson), Unknown Warrier (fiery red) and Rainbow (scarlet buds changing to shade of pink with greenish-yellow markings).

PICK YOUR rhododendron planting site by asking yourself where you like to be out of doors—for any area where climate is right for human enjoyment is right for the rhododendron.

Nurserymen suggest that you prepare the planting soil for the particular rhododendron with a mixture of top soil and humus.

Drainage should be good, but at the same time the soil should remain moist and cool. This can be accomplished by using peat moss in the planting hole.

Filtered shade, of course, is necessary. Overhead watering is recommended. A complete acid fertilizer is the right food for the rhododendron.

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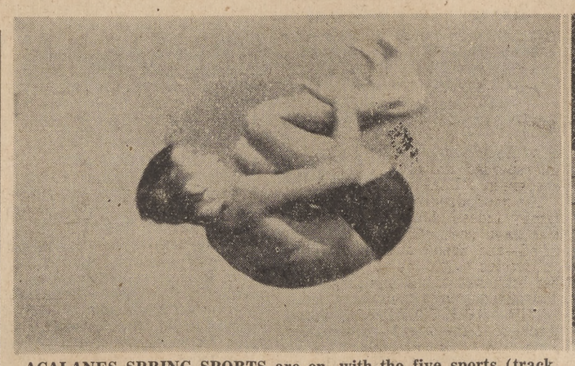

ACALANES SPRING SPORTS are on, with the five sports (track, swimming, tennis, golf and baseball) well into the season. The tennis and golf teams may be a sure thing for county titles. Baseball has a good chance of beating Pittsburg and Diablo if it doesn't collapse in the second round of play. According to the dopesters track and swimming can win titles if they really put out.—Blueprint photo.

Knights' Teams Face Busy Week Of Varied Sports

Next week is a busy one in prep sports—and well it might be, as the athletes will enjoy a rest the following week, when Easter Vacation rolls around.

Las Lomas gets into the swim of things when its swimmers host Castlemont and Mt. Diablo in a three-way meet next Wednesday.

Diablo, which appears stronger than in a long time, rates the favorite spot in varsity and Bee divisions.

THE LAS LOMAS baseball team will host Diablo in a league game Tuesday and will face Pleasant Hill on the Walnut Creek diamond Thursday.

All league games start at 4 p.m. which means the lads will have to hustle to finish before dusk.

Diablo rates the edge, while the Pleasant Hill—Las Lomas tilt rates close to even-steven.

LAS LOMAS TRACK gets its first outside competition today, when the Knights travel to Berkeley for a 3:15 p.m. meet with the California School for the Deaf.

On Wednesday the Las Lomas thinclads will compete with the John Swett Indians at Crockett, in a meet starting at 3:15 p.m.

The Las Lomas golf team will engage in a league meet with Mt. Diablo at 4 p.m. Monday at the Las Lomas home course, which, strange as it seems, is Diablo Country Club.

It's Full Steam For Activities Of Rams' Teams

The Pleasant Hill Rams are operating on a full-time spring sports schedule. Today and next week find them with a full head of steam, as far as activity goes.

Coach Hal Briggs has had a rough go to date with a thin and inexperienced track squad. One thing certain—he isn't picking any soft spots, as yesterday he met the strong Diablo Devils at Concord and next Friday goes to Pittsburg to meet the loaded Pittsburg Pirates for a 3:15 p.m. meet.

THE SWIMMERS head for the Crockett pool next Wednesday and have high hopes of copping a win over the John Swett swim team.

The tennis team gets into league play, meeting Antioch at the Diablo High courts at Concord next Tuesday, and then it's Las Lomas at Walnut Creek on Thursday.

THE BASEBALL team hosts Antioch next Tuesday. Off the basis of early season developments, Coach Lyle Palmer's fighting crew figures to cop a league win.

The boys could make it a pair when they face the Las Lomas nine on Thursday.

All tennis and baseball games are at 4 p.m.

GOLF HITS the spotlight with league matches Tuesday with Las Lomas at the Diablo Country Club.

The first pair will hit off the first tee at 4 p.m. sharp.

Barneson Wins Sports Car Race

John Barneson of Glenside Drive, Lafayette, thrilled 10,000 fans at Stockton Municipal Airport Sunday by winning the main event at the Road Races.

In an Allard J2X Barneson, 37 and the father of five, won the 30-lap third annual Stockton Sports Car "unlimited class" for cars of over 1500 cubic centimeters displacement. This was the Lions Club trophy race.

Second place winner in the concours de Elegance parade Saturday morning was Mrs. Louis Keller of Walnut Creek, in a 1938 Jaguar SS100.

In the same race in which Barneson sped to victory, George Sawyer of Las Huertas Road, Lafayette, drove a Ferrari Mexico car (an Italian model) but was forced to pull out because of clutch trobule.

Other Central Contra Costa County participants in the weekend races included Chick Leeson of Happy Valley, Lafayette, who drove an Osca in the 30-lap event for cars of under 1500 cubic centimeters displacement; Lyle Lund of Lafayette and Louis Keller of Walnut Creek.

Keller, driving a 1949 M.G. TC, took part in a 10-lap event.

The races were sponsored by the Stockton Lions Club for the Sports Car Club of America, Inc., San Francisco Region.

Schedule for PH Rams Sports

Pleasant Hill Rams will observe the following sports schedule during the coming week:

Track: Next Friday, Pittsburg Pirates at Pittsburg, 3:15 p.m.

Swimming: Crockett at Crockett, Wednesday.

Tennis: Antioch at Mt. Diablo High School, Concord, Tuesday; Las Lomas at Las Lomas, Wednesday.

Baseball: Antioch at Pleasant Hill, Tuesday; Las Lomas , Thursday.

Golf: Las Lomas Tuesday at Diablo Country Club, 4 p.m.

All tennis and baseball games are at 4 p.m.

Save tires, gas, oil and tempers — shop here at home.

Track Meet Today Starts New Week Of Don Athletics

The Acalanes spring schedule finds a full calendar, with the track squad seeking to get back in the winners' circle today when the Don thinclads host Encinal High of Alameda in a 3:15 p.m. meet.

The Dons, smarting from a setback at the hands of the Pittsburg Pirates, loom as slight favorites in the varsity division but hardly figure to win in the Bees, where depth with any quality appears to be missing.

Baseball hosts the Pitt Pirates next Tuesday.

This is one of the big ones, with the winner in a good spot.

Pitt is the pre-season league favorite while the Dons have shown power and ability of their own in early practice games.

Baseball will give the fans another dose of league ball at home when Antioch comes to town Thursday.

Both games are slated for 4 p.m.

The junior varsity horsehiders take a week of practice, during which Coach Hal Oxsen will look for more pitching strength.

Track swings back into action at 3:15 p.m. next Friday when the thinclads travel to Concord to engage the Diablo Devils in what could be one of the year's best, from a competitive point of view—in varsity, that is.

The Little Devil cindermen are strong and probably the league's only threat to Pittsburg.

COACH TOM STAMPER'S swimmers are rapidly rounding into shape.

They hit the road for Marin County next Wednesday, to paddle against Tamalpais High at 3:15 p.m.

The tennis racquet wielders face league opposition, hosting Pittsburg Tuesday and Antioch Thursday.

Off their recent showings the Dons could well cop a pair of wins.

GOLF MEETS Diablo at the Contra Costa Country Club Monday, with 9-hole matches getting under way at 4 p.m.

Next Friday may be April Fool's Day, but it won't be as far as the Don golfers are concerned, as they host Piedmont in 2:20 p.m. matches at the Orinda Country Club.

Knights Lose

Las Lomas Knights lost a baseball heart breaker at Crockett against the John Swett Indians Tuesday.

Leading 5 to 3 in the last inning they lost all to a base-loaded homer to the Indians. Scoreless till the third the Knights tallied twice; the Indians thrice. Three-all in the fourth the Knights scored another.

Top of the seventh the Walnut Creek Club went out in front 5-4, but after a scoreless eighth the Knights were undone in the ninth 7-5, by the victorious Indians.

Cowboys Lassoed By Acalanes Dons

Red Jones and Mike Barrett combined their efforts to pitch the Acalanes Dons to a 9-0 shutout in a nine-inning practice baseball game against the Livermore High School Cowboys at Livermore March 17.

Jones started on the mound for the Dons and hurled six innings of near-perfect ball as only 19 Livermore players came to bat.

The "extra" man up came about when Don Catcher Andy Fadelli dropped a third strike and overthrew first, to put Ray Myers on with one away.

That's as far as he got, however, as the next two would-be hitters went down in order.

Barrett took over in the seventh and went the rest of the way without allowing a run and giving up three hits.

The Dons, on the other hand, garnered 14 safe blows, scoring one run in the second, 3 in the fourth, 4 in the fifth and one in the ninth.

BIG STICK for the Dons was Andy Fadelli, with a home run, double and single to show for four times at bat.

Jerry Coakley also had three for four with a triple, double and single.

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Encinal Defeats Ram Thinclads

The Pleasant Hill Rams initiated their new track oval last Friday afternoon when they played host to another new school, Encinal High of Alameda.

The Encinal Jets took full advantage of the Rams' hospitality as they registered a 77-38 win in the varsity division and cleaned up in the Bees with a 96-17 margin.

The visitors were loaded with a group of speedsters that gave some very creditable preformances for an early season meet.

COACH HAL BRIGGS of the Rams had some bright moments when several of his thinclads came through with first places.

Roger Phillips copped both hurdle races with a 16.1 in the highs and a 22.0 in the lows.

JIM LEYENDECKER was a winner in the 880 when he stopped the clocks at 2:11.3.

Jim McMillin took th high jump when he cleared the bar at 5 feet, 10 inches.

IN THE BEES the lone winner was Mike Foshaug, who ran the 75-yard dash in a better-than-good :08.0.

The meet was the first to be held on the Pleasant Hill track and gave Coach Briggs a chance to do a bit of experimenting as well as to get a line on his squad.

Ram Nine Beats San Ramon High, Livermore Team

The Pleasant Hill Ram baseball team started off with a win against San Ramon recently when they won 9-0 — and 9 was their lucky number, as they whipped the Livermore Cowboys March 15, 9-2.

The charges of Ram Coach Lyle Palmer collected nine hits while their pitchers, Ray Johansen and Bill Brogger, limited Livermore to four scattered hits.

Johansen whiffed seven in his four-inning stint, while Brogger struck out three in the final three frames.

Ace of the Pleasant Hill attack was Bill Nixon, who collected three for three for a ferfect day at the plate, one double and two singles.

The game was the first played on the Rams' new diamond, and it was an impressive debut, as the Pleasant Hill club pounded out the win to the delight of the home crowd on hand.

El Cerrito Beats Acalanes JV Nine

The Acalanes junior varsity baseball team traveled to El Cerrito on March 15, only to lose out 7-2.

The El Cerrito nine scored all its runs in the first two innings, while the Don Babes scored one in the first and one in the third.

Inability to hit accounted for the loss.

The Acalanes nine collected but two safeties, both singles. One came off the bat of Wayne Hollister, while Steve Jordan accounted for the other.

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Pirates Trample Don Track Teams

The Acalanes track team met a toughie in their second outing of the season when they traveled to Pittsburg last Friday afternoon to receipt for a 79-34 loss in the varsity meet and a 94-19 licking in the Bees.

The times were exceptionally fast in all running events for such an early season meet.

LES TRAPPS of Pittsburg ran a 10.3 hundred, while Larry Pilcher, the Dons' sophomore ace, ran a startling 51.0 in the 440, a time that rates him as the best in Northern California to date.

Another excellent time was a 2:03.2 in the two-lap event (880) by Lea of Pittsburg.

THE DON QUARTET, consisting of Butch DeVillers, Gary Arel, Terry Ashe and Larry Pilcher, took the relay in 1:34.4.

Victor Johnson and Gary Coad, both of Acalanes, tied for first place in the pole vault, at 11 feet.

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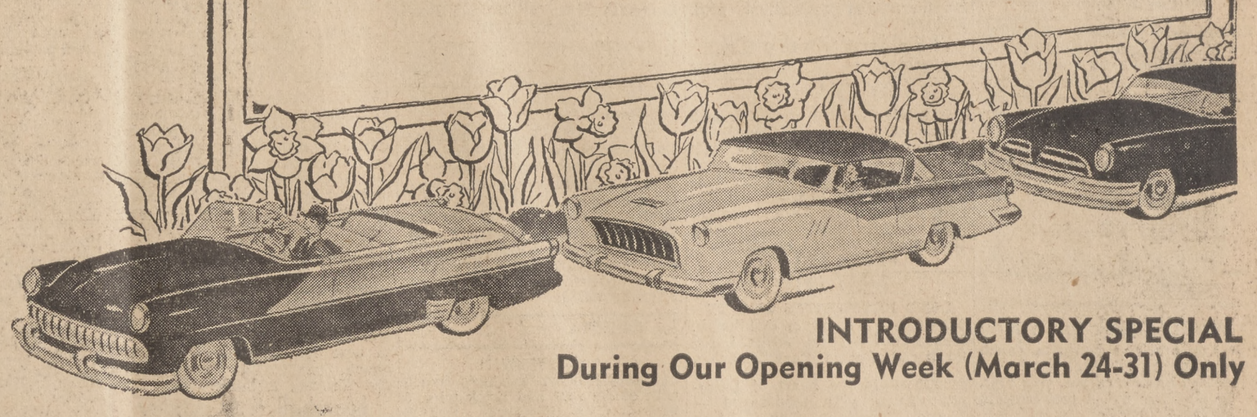

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BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rogers of Via Del Sol and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sheriff of Miranda had dinner Saturday at the Tunnel Inn to celebrate the birthdays of Mr. Sheriff and Mrs. Rogers.

A show had been planned for later in the evening but the two couples decided against it and end-up for coffee and conversation at the Sheriff home. Mrs. Rogers is celebrating her birthday a little late due to the fact that her husband has been up and down for the last couple of weeks with the flu.

ATTEND BENEFIT DANCE

Olive and Cliff Adams of Hook Avenue were among those who attended a Benefit Square Dance Saturday at Crockett. Some really fast callers at the dance according to Olive, which was fun but tiring to those leg muscles.

On Sunday, the family had a special dinner to celebrate Cliff's birthday with Olive's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Clark of El Cerrito as guests.

VISIT FLORIDA

Bob and Joan Nicol of Eccleston Avenue, together with their son, Scot, who are at present stationed in New Jersey while Bob is in the service, took advantage of a week's leave to visit Florida, where they attended the Sabrind Sport Car Races and visited the Cypress Gardens. The couple, as I mentioned in a previous article, will be home for good in May.

BABY SHOWER

Dawn Keremitsis and Blanche Wigell were co-hostesses at a baby shower for Betsy Lord at the Keremitsis home March 15. Attending were Dorothy Holmes, Helen Russell, Jane Sanborn, Sue Tripp, Shirley Ballard, Maxine De Vol, Mrs. Booth, Barbara Evans, Diane Mustard, Betty Lopey, Judy Nielsen, Clare Bjorndal, Catherine Robinson, Shirley Moore, Shirley Harryman, Kay Dobler, Virginia Preston and Pearl Hampson.

Since this is the third baby, the group went together to purchase a highchair for a joint gift, at the same time getting a gift for each of the other children, Blair and Jimmy. Betsy lives on Collins Drive.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. F. F. Barnard headed back into cold weather when she left Saturday for her home in Evanston, Wyoming, after visiting with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barnard of Pleasant Valley Drive for the past month.

RELATIVES VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Young of San Marino visited their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young of Via Del Sol Wednesday. They are staying at the Claremont Hotel in Oakland while visiting a number of friends here and will return home on Saturday.

7TH BIRTHDAY

Barbary Amy Brodrick of Stevenson Drive celebrated her seventh birthday Saturday with a lovely afternoon party.. After.. Barbara had opened her gifts, guests played a number of games with prizes for the winners, and then enjoyed refreshments of cake and ice cream.

Helping Barbara to celebrate were her sister, Vicky, her cousins, Nancy and Patty Fishel, Cathy and Kerri Moore, Star Silvey, Mary Crowley, Jackie Parks, Crisanne Tank, Catherine Paulus and Cindy Pike.

DAUGHTER VISITS

Guests for the past two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stroup of Byron Drive were their daughter, Jean Withron and grandson, Mike, of Rio Del.

FISHING TRIP

Neal Martin and his daughter Barbara of Stevenson Drive enjoyed a day's outing Saturday when they went fishing at McEvoy. Barbara surpassed dad for the day by landing two beautiful bass while he had to be content with one.

FAREWELL LUNCHEON

Fern McNaughton of Burns Court was hostess at a farewell luncheon for Emma Merryfield of Byron Drive prior to the Merryfields' sailing last Friday for a two year stay in the Philippines. Among the guests were a houseguest of Mrs. Merryfield's, Kate Stewart of Cleveland, Ohio, Ruth Martin, Camille Clark and Evelyn Kuhn.

VISITS HUSBAND

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IMMACULATE 2 bedroom; extra room could be third. One block from stores. Lovely secluded patio, barbecue. Trees. Zoned for business. Bargain. BEARD REALTY, Walnut Creek, YE 4-0862, 4-8830.

RELIEZ VALLEY

A very livable country home. 2 huge bedrooms, rumpus room, beautiful oak plank floors. Living-dining combination. Excellent close in location. Only $11,750.
JOSEPH CAVALLERO, REALTOR
3397 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
ATlantic 3-2501 Eves. YE 5-5395

HANDY MAN — FIXERS — TOUCHER - UPPER'S OPPORTUNITY

Several homes — financing you dream about. Little down — possibly none if you qualify.

FOULDS REALTY
3253 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
YE 5-5972

SPRINGHILL ROAD

One acre. Can be divided. All utilities including East Bay water. Sewer there and assessment paid. $8500.00.

Highland Realty Co.
2363 Mt. Diablo, YEllowstone 4-4406

BY OWNER

Custom built ranch style home, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, spacious living room, dining room, 4 yrs. old. Wall to wall carpeting, drapes included. Corner lot, ⅔ acre, choice neighborhood. 6 walnuts, 10 pears, all mature and bearing. Large concrete patio. Corner Monticello and Glen Rds., Happy Valley Glen. $36,500.
PHONE AT 4-4891

BEST BUYS
LAND PROPERTIES REALTY

$8750.00 — 2 bedroom doll house, fenced yard — patio — Bbq. Large lot at end of court. Easy financing.

$12,850.00—In the heart of Lafayette. Attractively landscaped — fenced — patio — Bbq. — fruit trees — brick walks.

$19,800.00 — 3e bedroom home with swimming pool and club house privileges.

$24,950.00 — Penn. Dutch exterior. Every thing a woman would desire in a home. Beamed ceilings — family room — 2 fireplaces—dish washer — perimeter heat — partly landscaped.

$24,950.00 — New deluxe duplex on Sundale Road, Lafayette. One apartment leased at $105 a month—other side waiting for new owner.

3691 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
Lafayette AT 3-6241

3 Bedrooms—Apartment

Best buy in area. Very neat home with large 4 room apartment on .4 acre with beautiful trees and shrubs, built under FHA. Full price $16,800.

Highland Realty Co.
2363 Mt. Diablo, YEllowstone 4-4406

BEAUTIFUL knoll site, almost 2 acres, can be divided. Off Pleasant Hills Rd., all utilities. Owner, AT 3-2217.

TOP VALUE HOMES

$19,850 for this very charming 2 bedroom cottage in Happy Valley. Full facing of old brick, low vine covered porches. Large lot with many pines and seclusion.

$26,500 for this unusual ranch style home on ½ acre with family orchard in Happy Valley. 2 large bedrooms, 1½ baths, thermador kitchen, dining room. A must see.

$36,000 will buy this lovely modern on 1½ acres in Lower Happy Valley. 3 very large bedrooms, 2½ baths, modern kitchen, 34 foot living room with mahogany paneling.

$42,000 is an excellent price for this ranchy home on one full acre of pears, walnuts and large oaks. 3 bedrooms, 3 baths, thermador charming family room and a 4th bedroom available. A beautiful filtered Paddock pool with large pool house with full bath. This home is priced to sell.

Garrett & Garrett
Since 1921
AT 4-4472 Lafayette

5 BEDROOMS, 5 baths, plus guest apt. Radiant heat, carpeting throughout. Modern design — (Sits on top of the world). Reduced from $75,000 to $55,000, desirable terms to qualifying buyer. For appointment to see this lovely home call HELEN HAINES, Realtor, AT 4-4760.

A COMPLETE KNOLL
Oak covered (no poison) with view of country side. 3 bedrooms plus extra hobby or 4th bedroom. Central heat, large electric kitchen (natural wood cabinets) and beautiful landscaped setting. Doors open to redwood decks from kitchen and living room. 1½ baths makes this most desirable — close in location. Priced to sell, asking only $18,950, FHA terms available.
HELEN HAINES, Realtor, AT 4-4760.

$2500 DOWN

80.06 per month with veterans tax exemption. (G.I. 4% loan assumption) moves you into this 3 year old 3 bedroom home in St. Mary's Estates. Total price $15,250.

Mason-McDuffie Co.
3725 Mt. Diablo Blvd., Lafayette
Clifford 4-4377 or ATlantic 4-4431

A MUST SELL THIS WEEK!
Save $1000 on price of this 4 bedroom on big lot if bought this week. Near schools, shops, Greyhound bus. Price $15,500 — Buy G.I. or FHA terms.
LAFAYETTE REALTY CO.
Established 1945 at
3659 Mt. Diablo Blvd., Laf.
ATlantic 3-6201 YEllowstone 5-1857

ATTENTION!

Income investment and speculators. A 2 bedroom home, central floor plan, perfect condition, close in Lafayette on ⅓ acre, zoned multiple. Easily and reasonably converted to apartments. Underpriced at $13,950. Call Benny Anderson, evenings, YE 4-5811.

K/R MAISEL
2901 Mt. Diablo Blvd., W.C.
YE 4-9366

Outstanding Location

(One acre — Lots of big trees)
Overlooking Reliez Valley, a home that is different, extra large living room; spacious, attractive kitchen, large master bedroom with bath, large rumpus or hobby room, double garage, aviary, extra cottage, owner will help finance. Full price $17,850.

Real Estate Service Co.
Lafayette Plaza at Moraga Road
ATlantic 3-6217

137' FRONTAGE, business lot near Park Theatre in Lafayette.. Excellent price considering location. See your Broker or call Lafayette Sun. AT 4-4444.

NO INTEREST OR TAXES
Until your home is built; one acre homesites $5500 to $6500; budget ¼ down, $25 monthly. Beautiful views, oaks ,walnuts, East Bay water, utilities; 1 mile north of Acalanes High; Pleasant Hill road, Rancho View Drive; new 4 lane highway to start soon. CHARLES CHERRY, ranch owner Home on the ranch; ATlantic 3-2782.

6. ORINDA

A PREVIEW!!!
In Sleepy Hollow. Rambling Ranch with shake roof and brick trim. 3 bedrooms, 2 tile baths. Family room. Central plan. Beamed ceilings. Level lot. Being built by "The Osmundsen Company."
See plans in office $25,750

A Challenge. For a buyer with artistic ability and foresight. Well built rustic, 3 bedrooms, 2 bath ranch. 33-foot living room, "L" dining room, central plan.
Unfinished studio $23.000

ORINDA VILLAGE REALTY
105 Orinda Highway CL 4-4319
BEA ZAVALNEY, REALTOR

Immediate cash for lots.
SUNSET REALTY
AT 4-4468

BEAUTIFUL 2 story, 5 bedroom, 3 bath home, rumpus, bar, newly decorated. Flagstone patio, lovely garden, trees. Open listings. Excellent terms, $29,250. CL 4-3147.

BY OWNER: One acre, large frontage, wooded with view, good end road. YE 5-0737.

We Repeat, "See and Compare"
The finest value in Orinda. 2 miles south of Crossroads. Spotless condition, Paul Haller built. 3 large bedrooms, 2 baths, separate dining, 16x22 game or rumpus room with fireplace, bar, sink, etc. Almost 3000 sq. ft. living area. Excellent set up for horses. 3 box stalls, hay barn, .83 acre, dozens of oaks. SEE AND COMPARE at $29,500 .
CHARLES H. HARVEY
REALTOR
3327 Mt. Diablo Blvd. Lafayette
ATlantic 3-6208

ORINDA hill lot, 18,500 square feet. Magnificent view of Diablo. Opposite No. 5 Culver Court, Moraga Woodlands. $1500, easy terms. AT 3-2766. AShberry 3-2330.

7. WALNUT CREEK

Non Veteran Buy!

Almost new, beautiful 4 bedroom, 2 bath home on quiet court in Canterbury Village, Clayton Valley. For sale at only $13,750, and anyone can assume 30 year GI loan of $12,600. Immediate occupancy. Will lease for $100 per month.

Contra Costa Realty Co.
3265 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
ATlantic 3-2222
Backed by a lifetime in Contra Costa County

BY OWNER: 3 bedroom, hardwood floors, insulated, large lot, dead end street, patio, canal water. $12,000. 95 Roberta Ave. YE 4-0177.

See us last.
SUNSET REALTY
AT 4-4468

2 BEDROOM, exceptional location, 2 blocks Main Street, secluded neighborhood, multiple zoning, $9950. YE 4-7654.

BY OWNER: 3 bedroom ranch style newly decorated, insulated, weatherstripped, fireplace, large level lot, covered patio faces walnut orchard, nicely landscaped, redwood fence, one block new elementary school. G.I. or FHA available. $11,450. 1948 Rose Lane, MU 2-1481.

GLENHAVEN, two half acre level lots, walnut trees, view, terms, YE 4-4122.

ZW
INCOME & HAPPY LIVING

Duplex, redwood and stucco, garden area, 1 year old. On a corner, spreading lawn and circular drive. Easy walking distance to Walnut Creek shopping district. 2 bedrooms and rumpus room in each one. Owner leaving, sacrifice at $26,500.

Zoe Woolsey, Realtor
Orinda Village
CLifford 4-4374, 4-4178

An Ideal 2 Bedroom

A perfect home for a retired couple in a convenient location, East Bay water. A garden lover's delight with lawns, flowers, shrubs, trees galore in a unique setting of Mt. Diablo. Home is immaculate and valued attractively at $13,000.

Dixon-Klausner, Realtors
1729 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
YE 4-2900 Eves. YE 4-6292

$11,900

Buys this 2 bedroom cutie on Newell Ave. Central hall plan. Entirely fenced and landscaped. GI or FHA terms.

Highland Realty Co.
2363 Mt. Diablo, YEllowstone 4-4406

BY OWNER: 3 bedroom ranch style home in Sun Valley. Excellent condition with many extras. Level landscaped lot with fence, patio and family orchard. Quiet street, pleasant surroundings, EBMUD water. CRV applied for, or owner will carry second. Asking $12,950. YE 4-8686.

A Sleeper Older Home

Two bedroom, needs work, 1 and ½ acres, best district. Walnut and oak trees. See this at $7750. Close to town.

G.I. OR FHA
6 rooms, 3 bedrooms, like new. Large kitchen, hardwood floors, patio, brick and rustic front. Trees, flowers and shrubs, fenced lot. All for $12,950, good terms.

IN TOWN
3½ years old. 6 rooms, 3 bedrooms. Large lot, hardwood floors, nice kitchen, utility room, close to shopping and transportation. $11,000.00 full price. $1500 down will buy this.

McCALL REALTY
1330 Main Street, Walnut Creek
YE 4-7611, eves. YE 4-4652

NO DOWN PAYMENT

Closing costs only to G.I. This fine expandable non-tract view home; close to transportation; large living room, separate dining room, 2 bedrooms and bath on one level, rumpus room or bedroom with shower on lower level. This will make some veteran a fine home for only $13,600.

HANDY TO BUS AND SHOPS
No tract; new 6 room, 2 bath, redwood rustic ranch home; knotty pine kitchen and family room, beamed ceiling living room, central hall plan, plank floors; level ½ acre lot, landscaped. FHA finance. Only $16,950. Evenings call Mr. Kenyon, ATlantic 3-2348.

Marshall & McKinley
PIONEER REALTORS
Main at Mt. Diablo Blvd.,
Walnut Creek, YE 4-4446

NO REASONABLE OFFER REFUSED
New 2 bedroom and den home. $21,500. See and make offer.
EDNA M. JENSEN, BROKER
2367 N. Main, YE 4-7590

Safe for Small Fry

3 bedroom, tract home in beautiful Sherman Acres. Nicely landscaped, fenced for small children. $2634 down. Owner will pay closing costs. Full price $11,750.

Mildred E. Tinker
1334 Locust St., Walnut Creek
YEllowstone 4-4719

CHOICE lot. 100x185. View, utilities. YE 4-6277 after 5 p.m.

One Block to Walnut Blvd.

Contemporary 3 bedroom, 1 bath, sunny breakfast room. Big fireplace. Level lot with many fruit and walnut trees. Out of town owner asking for offers.

Highland Realty Co.
2363 Mt. Diablo, YEllowstone 4-4406

2 YEAR OLD home. 3 bedrooms, large lot, creek, trees, near schools. $13,500. By owner. YE 4-4946.

COUNTRY STUFF

NO. 379: Swimming pool addicts attention!!!! Indian Valley is the place for your little Indians. Horses over the back fence, cows in the next meadow and rugged, rocky hills to make the Cowhands sleep good. The house, 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths and loaded with value. The filtered pool is terrific. $17,950.

NO. 380: Another pool and cabana plus a home of 4 bedrooms and 2 baths. 135' landscaped lot within easy steps to Main Street or Capwells. Here's a chance to save some money by doing a little cleaning and painting yourself. $18,950.

NO. 381: Your horses will love this 2 acre place and especially the cozy barn with the shake roof and warm box stalls. The Tack Room makes a good "doghouse" if needed. OH YES! ther's a 3 bedroom house with a great big extra special Family Room with a raised hearth, hooded fireplace-barbecue. Diablo Country Club area. Call for directions. $18,500.

Bill Hayward, Realtor
1534 Locust St. YE 5-1548

SUN VALLEY

Custom built, 3 bedroom spacious home of 1400 sq. ft. living area. In section of lovely homes with sweepnig view of Mt. Diablo. Owner will trade for smaller home. Asking $16,500.

Highland Realty Co.
2363 Mt. Diablo, YEllowstone 4-4406

A SOUTH OF TOWN

Close in 3 bedroom, 2 bath home, rustic exterior, heavy shake roof, level corner lot, very convenient to high school, Kaiser Hospital, shopping center, excellent neighborhood, $4,600 down to new FHA loan. Full price only $18,900.

Real Estate Service Co.
Lafayette Plaza at Moraga Road
ATlantic 3-6217

Swim! Bask! Live!

Corner house, fenced privacy, 3 bedrooms (huge master bedroom) 2 full baths, knotty pine kitchen, cabinet doors, separate dining room, wood panelling, large utility room, landscaped, 30x60 patio with barbecue, Capri swimming pool. All for the amazing price of $18,500.

Mildred E. Tinker
1334 Locust St., Walnut Creek
YEllowstone 4-4719

A NEW OFFERING

A new 3 bedroom ranch home, newly redecorated, 3 years old. Located in Sun Valley on large view lot. East Bay water, 1¼ baths; main bath has stall shower. Large kitchen, separate dining area, insulated. Loan commitment applied for. Offered at $14,950.

Dixon-Klausner Realtors
1729 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
YE 4-2900 Eves. YE 4-6292

New and Different

Nearly completed. Excellent location. Walk to Las Lomas school. Beautifully designed Brittany Ranch home of 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, on level half acre. Two blocks from community swimming pool. $18,950.00.

Highland Realty Co.
2363 Mt. Diablo, YEllowstone 4-4406

Big Dollar Value

And big living value. 3 bedrooms, separate dining room, ALL LARGE ROOMS, stall shower, central hall plan, patio and play yard. Level lot, landscaped. Near supervised private playground and swimming pool. $16,950, FHA or G.I. terms, or assume existing 4% loan after down payment.

BRING YOUR SCRUB BRUSH
And get a bargain. Newly painted but the windows need washing. 3 big bedrooms, HARDWOOD FLOORS, fireplace, electric range wiring. Corner lot, fenced, landscaped and area rototilled for garden. Immediate occupancy. NO DOWN PAYMENT for a veteran. $11,000 full price.
Phone YEllowstone 4-7641 weekdays

Barney Gilbert, Realtor
1410 Main Street
In the heart of Downtown Walnut Creek

$700 Down to G.I.

No. 60: 3 bedroom rustic ranch home. Central heat, separate stall shower. On landscaped level lot. Community pool. In very desirable area SOUTH OF TOWN. Excellent financing to non-vet. Priced to sell $13,500.

George H. Cockerton Realtor
2343 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
YE 4-4458

A NEW OFFERING

A new 3 bedroom ranch home, newly redecorated, 3 years old. Located in Sun Valley on large view lot. East Bay water, 1¼ baths; main bath has stall shower. Large kitchen, separate dining area, insulated. Loan commitment applied for. Offered at $14,950.

Dixon-Klausner Realtors
1729 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
YE 4-2900 Eves. YE 4-6292

3 BEDROOM home, 112 Kathryn Drive. Insulated, near Gregory Village. G.I. loan, will consider second mortgage part of equity or sales contract. Call owner, CL 4-3698.

Bargain Department

Offers a new 3 bedroom home for only $10,400. FHA loan of $8,650 and $69.00 a month. It is small and compact and has a wonderful view. Also walk to town or bus. Other financing available to suit your needs.

Highland Realty Co.
2363 Mt. Diablo, YEllowstone 4-4406

VIEW LOT, ½ acre, level, good soil, all utilities, $3600, or will build to suit your plans. 2185 Alice Avenue, off Rudgear Road, Walnut Creek.

BY OWNER: 3 bedroom, L shaped living-dining room, separate breakfast room, 220 wiring, insulated, garbage disposal, 2 car garage, landscaped. Priced below G.I. appraisal or will rent. YE 4-8916.

SPRING SPECIALS
PLEASANT ACRES

A large 3 bedroom in perfect condition. Separate dining room, wired 220, 2 car garage. Large lot, landscaped, patio, low water rate. FHA or GI financing. Owner transferred, asking $12,500.

NEAR TOWN
A quality 2 bedroom, oversized fireplace, plank floors, beautiful patio. Walk to Broadway shops. Asking $13,500.

Dixon-Klausner Realtors
1729 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
YE 4-2900 Eves. YE 4-6055

A LOVELY

Family home; plaster construction, located in El Dorado Park, convenient to schools, shopping, churches, transportation. Three bedrooms; tile stall shower, eating area in kitchen; utility room; 220 wiring. Lovely yard, patio, barbecue, well water for irrigation. This immaculate, roomy home is priced right at $13,750. — maximum financing can be arranged.

C. H. Eccleston, Realtor
1709 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
YEllowstone 4-9331
Evenings YEllowstone 4-6296

GREGORY GARDENS; Newest section, 3 bedrooms, landscaped, fenced, patio, TV aerial, near grammar school, dead-end street. Excellent financing for G.I. by anxious owner. 1612 Onley Drive. MU 5-7994.

AN IMMACULATE

Three bedroom ranch type; insulated; weatherstripped. Large, well developed yard, patio, WELL and PUMP. Owner anxious to sell, has reduced price to $11,250. Large G.I. 4% loan can be assumed or new loan for full amount to qualified veteran—Pay closing costs only.

C. H. Eccleston, Realtor
1709 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
YEllowstone 4-9331
Evenings, YEllowstone 4-4088

8. PLEASANT HILL

OWNER TRANSFEERRED
201 Lucinda: ½ acre, shrubs, trees. 3 bedrooms, separate dining room, fireplace, breakfast nook, tile bath and kitchen, hardwood floors, 2 car garage. Near schools and stores. Immediate possession. Consider Los Angeles trade. YE 4-7474, 4-3877.

BY OWNER: 3 bedroom spacious home, nicely constructed, choice location, corner lot, good buy. 304 Strand Avenue, Pleasant Hill. YE 4-8178.

BY OWNER, large 3 bedroom house, Pleasant Hill area. Nice yard, well and pressure system for irrigating. $11,500. MU 5-6648.

9. REALTY WANTED

Really, we have buyers waiting for land. All sizes, lots to acreage. For fast action give us a call.

E. J. Carey & Co.
ATlantic 4-4463

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See or Call
CHARLES H. HARVEY
REALTOR
3327 Mt. Diablo Blvd. Lafayette
ATlantic 3-6208

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A. Hughes — MU 5-3719
Fidelis Real Estate Co.

10. BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY

DONUT SHOP. Best known in area. Owner has other interests. Sacrifice. YE 4-5212 after 6 p.m.

11. LOANS

SPOT LOANS
Phone YEllowstone 4-0800
Get a SPOT LOAN at Signature Loan Co. A SPOT LOAN is a quick loan of $20 to $1,500 usually made the same day you apply. Up to 24 months to pay. PHONE FIRST.
EXCLUSIVE FEATURE: We guarantee cancellation of charges while unemployed due to sickness after 14 days. No extra cost to you.

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LOAN COMPANY
1376 Main St., Walnut Creek
"Jim" Scully, Mgr. YE 4-0800
Oakland Office: 1615 Broadway

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Loans on all types of property. Maximum amounts, terms to 25 years, interest rates from 4¼%. No charge for inspection. Refinancing our specialty. Mortgage Service Co., 3685A Mt. Diablo Blvd., Lafayette. AT 3-2772, AT 3-2823 or night YE 5-1840.

19. BUSINESS RENTALS

OFFICE SPACE, reasonable. Center of Lafayette. Call M. H. Stanley, AT 4-4646.

DESK SPACE for rent, Lafayette office. AT 3-6340 or YE 5-5741.

LAFAYETTE, Mt. Diablo Blvd., clean front office, modern building; heat, janitor service. Campbell, AT 3-6084.

OFFICE SPACE at Orinda Crossroads, approximately 15 x 18 ft. Ideal for professional use, phone CL 4-4188 for information.

OFFICE OR DESK SPACE.
Center of Walnut Creek. Large parking area. MU 5-8154.

CENTER of Walnut Creek. Former shoe store. 32'x65', available now. MU 5-6038. Owner: T. G. Casey, 2651 Oak Grove Road, Concord.

LOCUST ST., WALNUT CREEK
Store building, 30 x 60, central heat, air conditioned, light fixtures. 5 year lease available.
SUNSET REALTY
3511 Mt. Diablo Blvd., Lafayette
AT 4-4468

MEDICAL OFFICES

DOCTOR'S MODERN OFFICES, with proper plumbing in each room. 7 rooms and dark room, in Pleasant Hill Shopping Center, centrally located, easily accessible to traffic. $200 month with lease.
PHONE ATLANTIC 3-3622

20. RENTALS

UNFURNISHED 1 bedroom house, stove. Baby accepted. No pets. Greenwood Dr., Pacheco. MU 5-4681.

NICE 3 room partly furnished house in Walnut Creek, $50. Inquire 2780 Cherry Lane.

Parkside Drive, 1650 furnished apartment, new furniture. $50 and one day's work. Inquire: Apt. 1, Walnut Creek.

1382 MAIN Street—3 well furnished rooms and bath. Water, garbage. $65. Adults. Owner: MU 5-6038.

3 ROOM duplex, carport, stove, refrigerator, gas, water, automatic washer, garbage service, $85 furnished, $75 unfurnished. Inquire 910A Bell Street off Brook, Lafayette.

NO TUNNEL TRAFFIC
LEASE OR SELL
4 bedroom architect's view home, 2½ baths, 2 fireplaces, rumpus. BEacon 3-0336.

2 BEDROOM, 4 plex, stove and refrigerator, $80; small house with utilities, $62.50. Helen Haines, Realtor, AT 4-4760.

3 ROOM unfurnished apartment $68. Includes range, carport, garbage disposal, water. 1043 Stuart St., Lafayette.

LOWER three room unfurnished apartment. Garage. Between Lafayette & Orinda. CL 4-5689.

ONE bedroom apartment. Large kitchen, living room. Water included. $65.00 a month. 3622 Bickerstaff. AT 4-4889.

SECLUDED with view. Cottage for couple. Stove, refrigerator, water, $60. AT 3-3822.

MARTINEZ. New 2 bedroom furnished apartment, $80. Owner AT 3-3509.

3 ROOM apartment, unfurnished, electric stove and frigidaire, wall to wall carpeting, laundry facilities, close to shopping. $75. 959 Hough, Lafayette.

LOVELY 3 room duplex, close in, utilities paid, adults. 983 Thomson Rd., Lafayette.

2 BEDROOM apt. centrally located, $80 a month with lease. AT 3-3669.

TWO BEDROOM unfurnished duplex, new. Near shopping. 1620 Pringle, Walnut Creek. YE 4-3900.

6 BEDROOM home in center of Lafayette, also warehouse on same lot. Rent together or separately. Call Smith, TRinidad 2-9198.

ROOM: private home; private bath; entrance; garage. Gentleman preferred. 2504 Buena Vista, Walnut Creek.

NICE LOCATION, beautiful view. 4 rooms, fireplace, garage, $70. YE 4-6277 after 5 p.m.

NICELY furnished two bedroom, clean, garage, fully equipped laundry, lawn, flowers, for summer or longer, Lafayette, close in. AT 4-4507.

ATTRACTIVE room, private home, close to transportation, city of Walnut Creek, YE 4-6350.

3 ROOM furnished apartment, close to transportation. $50. 2646 No. Main; also 4 room studio unf. apartment. Garages. No pets.

FOR LEASE

A $45,000 modern ranch home of 3200 sq. ft. on 2 acres, knoll site. Near Walnut Creek, $250.00 a month.
Basalite studio type home with radiant heat, 2 rooms, located close to town on 1 acre. $60.00 a month.

Highland Realty Co.
2363 Mt. Diablo, YEllowstone 4-4406

BACHELOR apartment, swimming pool ,stove, refrigerator, private entrance. $45 utilities included. Call after 6 p.m. or anytime Sat-Sun. CL 4-4060.

ROOM with bath and private entrance. AT 3-2533.

1 BEDROOM home, beautiful kitchen with stove, utility room, antenna. 3635 Bickerstaff. AT 4-4304. Lafayette.

CONSULTANT with large oil company desires long term lease, preferably with option to buy. 3 bedrooms, Orinda-Moraga area. CL 4-3775.

UNFURNISHED 2 bedrooms, year old house, quiet, private road, close to schools, churches, Walnut Creek shopping, $85 month. YE 5-0513.

APARTMENT, large one bedroom upper duplex. Nice view and yard. Appliances, rugs, and drapes, $75. YE 4-0334.

UNFURNISHED Apt. $45 a month, all utilities. AT 3-3267.

3 BEDROOM unfurnished ranch home, patio, hillside view, convenient to school bus, $115 per month. 981 Janet Lane, Lafayette.

SPARKLING large one bedroom duplex with stove and refrigerator. Landscaped. $75. YE 4-8958.

FOR LEASE
Furnished 3 bedroom, $125 or for sale at a sacrifice. See this.
New unfurnished 3 bedroom, a beauty, $125.
EDNA M. JENSEN, BROKER
2367 N. Main, YE 4-7590

ATTRACTIVE one bedroom furnished modern apartment with garage, transportation, shopping close. 280 Meadow Lane, MU 2-1064 eves.

2 ATTRACTIVE furnished apartments. Set in country and garden surroundings. Walnut Creek area. Adults. $75-$85. MU 5-8154.

DUPLEX, large two bedrooms, all fenced yard on Alan Drive, Pleasant Hill, $80 per month. Lincoln Development Co., AT 3-3972.

3 BEDROOM unfurnished modern home. Lease, $125 including water. 952 Janet Lane. AT 3-2084.

25. RENTALS WANTED

FURNISHED house or apt. in Orinda area for 2 barking dogs, 1 noisy toddler, 1 neurotic, helpless female while colonel husband is away. Call CL 4-3591 or CL 4-2264.

FURNISHED RENTALS WANTED
Nine executives from a major oil company need 2 or 3 bedroom furnished rentals immediately on a 1 year lease or longer. Also one 4 bedroom. CALL COCKERTON, YE 4-4458.

RESPONSIBLE family desires unfurnished 3 or 4 bedroom, 2 bath home. CLifford 4-3981.

COUPLE desire furnished - partly furnished apartment-duplex by May 1. Orinda to Walnut Creek. YE 4-0508.

WOULD LIKE to rent cabin at Tahoe for one or two weeks in August. Sleep four. Reasonable. Excellent local references. Call YE 4-5000 days or AT 3-2674 eves.

RENTALS WANTED
We have many requests for apartments, and small and large homes. Please let us help you rent your property. HAMLIN REALTY, 1531 Cypress. YE 4-9592.

29. REST HOMES

Mountain View Manor Christian Science boarding home can accommodate 2 more guests. 818 Monument Blvd., Concord. MU 5-0261.

33. APPLIANCES

USED APPLIANCES

CROSLEY Refrigerator, late model, freezer top, butter keeper, Shelvador, like new. 1 yr. guar. . . . $20 down. $7.93 per mo.
FRIGIDAIRE Automatic washer, rebuilt, guaranteed 6 mo. One only. Reduced from $189.95. Now only . . . $129.95. $13.85 down. $7.93 per mo.
KENMORE Automatic. One only. Terms. Guarantee in writing. This week only, price slashed to $79.50

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35. MISC. WANTED

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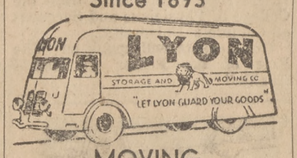

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Civil defense classes and meetings in this area are scheduled as follows:

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Tuesdays — ext Tuesday and April 5 and 12 — 8 to 10 p.m., Buena Vista Grammar School, Walnut Creek; instructors. Alex Winchester and Robert Wilze.

Disaster nursing classes . . .

Wednesdays — Next Wednesday and April 6, 13, 20 and 27 — 7:30 to 9:30 p.m., Las Lomas High School, Walnut Creek; instructor, Horace aHncock.

Fire training — 4-hour fire-training class at Clayton Valley Fire House is being organized. Registrations are taken by Roy Graeber, MUlberry 5-6985.

Civil defense program, including filw, "The House in the Middle" ... this evening, Moraga Valley Community Club, Moraga.

Christian Science

That there is an essentially spiritual nature to all that is real and eternal will be emphasized at services Sunday in the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Reality" at Churches of Christ, Scientist, at 42 Orinda Highway, Orinda, and 1347 Locust Street, Walnut Creek.

Among the selections to be read from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, will be the following (335:27-29): "Reality is spiritual, harmonious, imutable, immortal, devine, eternal. Nothing unspiritual can be real, harmonious, or eternal."

The following passage will be read from the Bible (Psalms 33: 4, 5): "For the word of the Lord is right; and all his works are done in truth. He loveth righteousness and judgment: the earth is full of the goodness of the Lord."

The Golden Text is from Psalms (119:12,18): "Blessed art thou, O Lord: teach me thy statutes . . . Open thou mine eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out of thy law."

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Red Cross Here Serves Us— It's Our Job Now to Aid It

The annual drive of the Mt. Diablo Chapter of the American Red Cross is nearing its close. As of this writing, there seems to be a definite possibility that the chapter may not realize its goal of $26,895.

Failure to reach that goal would be far more serious than could be indicated in purely statistical columns. It would be a failure of neighbors to do a vital and neighborly job.

For the Red Cross in Central Contra Costa County is very close to us.

It means not only weflare for the armed services and work in floods and other disasters throughout the country.

It also means swimming lessons for our children, home nursing classes, baby care classes, first aid classes — and many other activities that we have almost come to take for granted.

If the Red Cross chapter doesnt' reach its goal, some of these services will have to be curtailed.

It is important that all of us understand that the Mt. Diablo Red Cross Chapter receives no money from United Crusade.

It is equally important that all of us realize that in order for the Red Cross to get the money with which to function, each home and each family must do its share.

Of the money collected in the campaign, 77.6 per cent is retained by the local chapter. The other 22.4 per cent is sent to the National Red Cross.

Translated into terms of the 1955 budget requirements and the current drive, that means that the Mt. Diablo Chapter needs $20,880 and that the national quota from this area is $6015.

Throughout our area, hundreds of volunteer campaign workers are soliciting funds for the Red Cross.

The slogan for this year's drive is "Answer the Call — Join and Serve."

That is a call to which each of us should respond — in a whole-hearted, neighborly manner.

A great deal of talent is lost to the world for want of a little courage. Every day sends to their graves obscure men whose timidity prevented them from making a first effort.

SHRUBBERY can be beautiful—and it can also hide oncoming cars at an intersection. The front of a car protrudes on Brook Street as it passes shrubbery at the intersection of Dewing Avenue. Drivers can't be too careful about slowing down near intersections, especially where view is hindered by obstacles.
—SUN photo by Mattson

Ministers to Hear Talk on Health

The Central Contra Costa Ministerial Association will meet Wednesday at 8:45 a.m. at The Pacific Gas and Electric Building in Walnut Creek.

Speaker will be Dr. Paul E. Morentz, resident Psychiatrist at Cowell Hospital of the University of California and Instructor in Pastoral Care at Pacific Luthern Seminary in Berkeley.

Dr. Morentz is an ordained clergyman who served as a United States Navy Chaplain during World War II. He received his M.D. from the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Columbia University.

Dr. Morentz will speak on "The Role of the Pastor in Mental Health."

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DAUGHTER ARRIVES

There's a new little girl at the Richard Otto home on Juanita Drive. She arrived March 13 at Herrick Hospital in Berkeley, weighing 6 pounds, 5½ ounces. She will be called Lois Ann by her proud parents and 4½ year old brother, Richard.

NEIGHBORHOOD PARTY

Mrs. Louis Wochos, new neighbor on El Curtola Boulevard, was hostess March 11 for a neighborhood gathering with a demonstration of Stanley Products by Mrs. Lola Mae Kelley of Concord. Mrs. Wochos is the new Sun Valleyite we mentioned recently and to whom we apologize for misspelling her name in ths column.

She is a former resident of Germany who has spent many years in Japan. She was especially thrilled with the warm welcome given her and her Army husband by Sun Valley people and appreciates their kindness in helping her get acquainted with people and customs.

Guests enjoyed a German lunch with apple strudel and cheese cake. Having a pleasant aftenoon were Mesdames Vernon Baumgardner, Paul Allen, R. M. Deio, Charles Kennerly, and Henry Luebkeman, all of Sun Valley; and from Walnut Creek came Mesdames George Cockerton, A. D. Dodson and Frieda Siegman.

UNIT TO MEET

Mrs. Loren Dodds, assisted by Mrs. Harryk Akers and Mrs. L. B. Littell, will be hostess at her home on Sunset Loop to members of Flamingo Unit of the Mt. Diablo Therapy Center. Several Sun Valley women served as chairmen of the recent Floral Arrangement Tea, with Mrs. Jack Cullen in charge of awards; Mrs. Don Johnson heading the fashions committee; Mrs. F. Ray Powers directing the floral arrangements program and Mrs. Richard Schimmel arranging publicity. General chairman was Mrs. W. Norman Gibson of Pleasant Hill.

SPRING SHOWER

Mrs. Harry Nethery of Juanita Drive was the honored guest at a shower March 16 by Mrs. Peter Wilder and Mrs. Clarence Stern at the Wilder home on Hilton Court. The guests enjoyed the lovely decorations and refreshments, accompanied by several, presentation of gifts to Mrs. Nethery, and lots of chatter, female variety.

Guests were Mesdames Ren Hughes, Frank Pamphilon, Robert Campbell, Ross Reagan, Rob Sherlock, Lee Davies, Fred Boyer, Tom Heinatz, Charles Behlow, Joe Ferrari, Russ Ivy, and Bob Smith.

New Adult Classes To Start Soon

Most of the Acalanes adult education classes offered during the winter quarter, which is now drawing to a close, will be repeated in the spring quarter starting next week, it was announced today by A. D. Dambacher, director of adult education.

Several other classes have been added, including Psychology of Adolescence, Landscaping, Piano Playing, House Planning, Blue Print Reading and Wrought Iron Metal Shop.

Pre-registration for these and all other classes being offered during the spring quarter is being conducted Monday through Thursday, 7 to 10 p.m., at the Acalanes Adult Center Office, Acalanes High School.

Additional information, including a copy of the complete Spring Quarter schedule, may be had by calling ATlantic 3-6262.

Community Profits From Recreation

To provide a good wholesome program for all age levels from kindergarten to senior citizens, is the aim of Walnut Creek's Recreation Department.

The different events and activities sponsored are seasonal sports, and a cultural program consisting of special classes in art, crafts, dancing and music.

THE DEPARTMENT IS especially proud of their Junior Theater group for thespians from the seventh grade level up directed by Jack Holden.

A city municipal function, the Recreation Department is provided for by funds from the Walnut Creek Elementary School District.

Chairman Elmo Guilieri, John Conley, Terence Ring, Robert Durand and Mrs. Ellen Cutler made up the board which was fundamental in establishing the department in 1950.

"SINCE THEN WE HAVE received splendid cooperation from the Walnut Creek Recreation Council in chaperoning and sponsoring events for children in the area," said Ruth Wallis, superintendent of recreation.

The council is made up of interested citizens, service and parents groups, and business and professional clubs.

Funds from six Walnut Festivals went into the construction of the present Recreation building.

What They Say

How to Keep Area In Rural Path?

Many have moved to Central Contra Costa County to breathe the country air, to get away from the clamor of the city.

Yet, as more and more people move here, more businesses are required to serve them and more cars help congest the highways.

AND THE COUNTRY air becomes almost like the city air.

What to do about it? How can this area maintain its so-called "rural" atmosphere?

Our researchers asked a few persons about it.

"I DON'T KNOW — but possibly by restricting lot sizes so people won't be so close together," said Mrs. Claude D. McColm Jr., of 36 Joann Court, Walnut Creek.

Mrs. Lenora M. Green, 2624 Larky Lane, Walnut Creek, answered, "Well, I can't understand why people move here and build a home on a smaller lot than they do in the city. I really wouldn't know."

Mrs. Ralph Jachens of 736 Charlton Drive, Pleasant Hill, feels the area will always be rural. "I don't think it will ever be changed — shopping areas don't change the area. One thing, though, we're against sidewalks, because they make it look more 'citified.'"

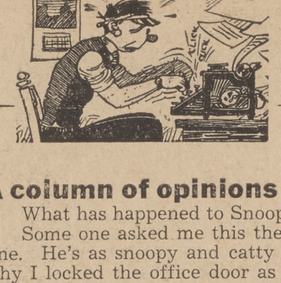
"You can't stop progress," answered Mrs. Adolph L. Johnson of 140 Mayhew Way, Pleasant Hill. "You cannot stop cities from growing."

"I wish I had the answer," said J. W. Hoge of 16 Rio Vista, Orinda. "We moved out here 10 years ago to get away from the city. I don't know how it can be kept rural."

MRS. GEORGE W. FINK, 357 Glorietta Boulevard, Orinda, said, "The only thing to do is just accept it, I guess. I've reconciled myself to it. We're practically on a thoroughfare."

Mrs. Charles G. Sparrowe Jr., of 3344 Victoria Avenue, Lafayette, feels the area can retain what rural atmosphere it still has by "staying unincorporated."

The rapid growth and increasing city-like atmosphere will "just have to be accepted, that's all," answered Mrs. Marvin B. Jaynes of 3628 Bickerstaff Street, Lafayette.



Under The Sun

By Herman Silverman

A column of opinions

What has happened to Snoopy, the office cat?

Some one asked me this the other day. Well, Snoopy is fine. He's as snoopy and catty as ever, which is the reason why I locked the office door as I sat down to write this column. Today I want to express some rather definite opinions and it certainly doesn't help one's ego to have Snoopy sit on the desk and puncture my opinions with sound reasoning and logic.

If I want to be arbitrary and opinionated. I want the opportunity without Snoopy needling me at the end of every sentence. So, let's go with some opinions:

Oakland and East Bay Unions, mostly in the retail field, have served notice that this area has had a free ride long enough and they are definitely going to organize local employees. So far, the unions are certainly within their rights. But, in the next breath, union organizers make it clear they are going to organize local employees — even if they don't want to be organized.

The campaign began some time ago in Walnut Creek, where the watchmaker's union forced employees and even store owners, who did their own watchmaking, to join.

Are the pickets unfair?

Now in Lafayette two pickets are pacing in front of two stores, saying the stores are unfair to union labor. The unions demand the stores sign contracts. If the stores sign, their employees must then join the union. But the women employees involved say they do not want to join. (In one store, the employees are all part-time — two high school girls and two housewives,)

Thus, the stores are caught in the middle, which doesn't seem fair. They are being asked to force their employees to join or the stores must suffer. So far, both stores are supporting their employees.

A three-way squeeze

Another outfit finding itself in the middle of a squeeze play is our Central Contra Costa Sanitary District. Instead of saying "found itself in the middle," perhaps I should say "has placed itself in the middle."

I refer to the proposed establishment of an assessment district covering some 8,000 acres in the Alamo-Danville area. It has been a long, sad story and current details will be found in another article in this edition. But briefly here is what happened:

Three times elections have been held to annex this area to the Sanitary District and three times the residents have said no. But county officials, some developers and residents point to the constant increasing need for sewer service. County health officer talks of the area as a health menace and for some time has argued that the CCCSD should serve the entire area.

It's up to supervisors

April 5 the County Board of Supervisors will decide whether or not to permit formation of the special assessement district to finance a 36-inch main sewer line from Walnut Creek to Danville.

The residents concerned have voted against annexation three times; they do not want the sewer system, taxes, assessments, etc. Kight or wrong they are against it.

I believe our Sanitary District should not be the agency that forces them into action. The county should do its own dirty work and condemn the area, if it is ncessary. Right now county is pushing the district to take action and on the opposing side are residents.

And as a taxpayer of the District, I'm not so sure the assessment district is such a good idea for US. True the finance plan has been drafted and the new area will pay substantial sums.

But the proposal clearly states the land in question cannot be taxed by the district, since they are not "really" a part of the district. They will get the same service (and they will pay assessments) but what about 1 year or 10 years from now?

Who will pay for a new sewer disposal plant? Who will pay for the bond issue? What if Danville area requires another main line? What if administration costs increase because of the new territory?

I don't know all the facts of the situation, although I have talked to District president, Irving Roemer. I know the directors have been wrestling this probelm for some time and will act only in the best interests of all. It's a tough nut to crack.

About Walnut Creek People

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SCOUT DOPE

Members of Girl Scout Troop 71 (Sixth Grade Intermediates) met March 3 to bake cookies for the USO. Girls are Beverly Brown, Carolyn Beragnolli, Gail Wingefeld, Gail Mitchell, Eugenia Ziegler, Ruth Ann Reilly, Juanita Blome, Jeanne Gobalet, Carol Ann Norrish, Julie Lawrence, Donna Stauffer, Joanne Pezzy, Christine Weaver, Louise Hatton, and Carolyn and Linda Jones.

Leader is Mrs. Jackie McConnell and the co-leader Mrs. Carolyn Weaver.

TV PARTY

Mrs. F. J. Moss of 2441 Tice Valley Boulevard entertained young friends of her son Ricky March 7 in honor of his sixth birthday. Guests who enjoyed lovely birthday refreshments and stayed on to see the showing of "Peter Pan" on television included Tommy Brittain, Lance Gordon, Buddy Stanley, Cameron Curtiss, Con Mitchell, Carl Benson, Tim Bayliss, Steve Caziarc, Debby Schroder, Deborah Kenney, Karen Daly, Lezlie Patrick, Laurie McKevitt, Mary Jo Mohr and Ricky's older sister Leslie.

COFFEE TIME

Mrs. H. F. Brennan of Hacienda Drive entertained a group of her neighbors at coffee the other afternoon. Honor guests were Mrs. William Bradley of Hacienda Drive and Mrs. F. Raymond Shipherd of Summit Road.

SCOUT EXHIBIT

Many thanks to Mrs. Ethel Millar and Mrs. Helen Martins who did such a wonderful job of decorating the window of the Contra Costa Stationers in the Shopping Center with Girl Scout handiwork from the Buena Vista District, to Mrs. Ellen Wikander whose troop contributed to the window of the Tots and Teens Store, and to Mrs. Wilford Hodkin, Mrs. Sally Wharton, Mrs. Marjorie Banwell and Mrs. Dorothy Jacobson who lined up articles to exhibit at the Walnut Creek Paint Store.

Several troops also exhibited at the Sprouse Reitz store last week.

ICE PARTY

Members of Girl Scout Intermediate Troop 138 enjoyed an ice skating party last Friday at Iceland in Berkeley. Girls attending the party were Sharon Ashton, Kathy Ritz, Carol Kovats, Carole Peregrine, Janene Joyslen, Carol Gray, Diane Sharkey, Ann Jacobus, Barbara Buck, Sharon McCollum, Bernadette Kenney, Freyda Roth, and a new member, Carol Eastwood.

Troop leader is Mrs. Joel Thigpen and co-leader Mrs. Harold Ashton. Mrs. Frances Sharkey and Mrs. Paul Jacobus helped provide transportation.

Troop 138 is sponsored by the Soroptimist Club.

HOME AGAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hartley of Meadow Road have returned from a trip to Ashland, Oregon, where they were called by the death of Mr. Hartley's father. During his parents' absence Steve Hartley stayed with their neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. James Ransom.

Visiting Mrs. Irma Shanklin of Meadow Road this week is her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ray Nicholson of Fair Oaks.

COOKIE SALE

Girl Scout Intermediate Troop 87 will sell Girl Scout Cookies Saturday at Capwell's and the Purity Store. Mrs. Lillian Johanek is the troop's leader and Mrs. Georgette Labarthe is in charge of the cookie sale. All proceeds are going to help finance the camp site recently purchased near Lafayette.

PARTY TIME

Among those attending the St. Patrick's Day Dance given by the St. Mary's Catholic Church at the Diablo Country Club were Messrs. and Mesdames Robert McCarthy, Herbert Merrick, Anton Wabnig and Andrew McGlynn.

Mrs. James R. Platt of Castle Hill Ranch Road recently honored her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Virginia Koch, at a miscellaneous wedding shower which was attended by over 20 guests. Among local women attending were Mrs. R. F. Kronenberg and Mrs. Florence Della-Vedowa. Mr. and Mrs. Lorry Koch were married in December and are residing in Berkeley.

HERE AND THERE

Brownies of Troop 281 planted daffodils to give their mothers to troop are Jan Marchiando, Dorothy welcome spring. The girls in the Spear, Ann Hubbard, Lynn Hyland, Shirley Naye, Beverly Couch, Judy Harrison and Heidi Cole. Leader is Mrs. Beatrice Rowe and the co-leaders Mrs. Belva Marchiando and Mrs. Avanelle Spear.

Troop 110 of seventh grade Girl Scouts recently attended a showing of "Cinerama." Girls are Patsy Andrews, Wendy Bailes, Ellen Bernhus, Nancy Clark, Joan Foster, Judith Ann Foster, Judy Hayes, Carolyn Kelleway, Eileen McLaren, Margaret Norman, Lynn Stoddard and Wendy Webb. Troop's leader is Mrs. Ellen Wikander and the co-leader Mrs. Dede Andrews.

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